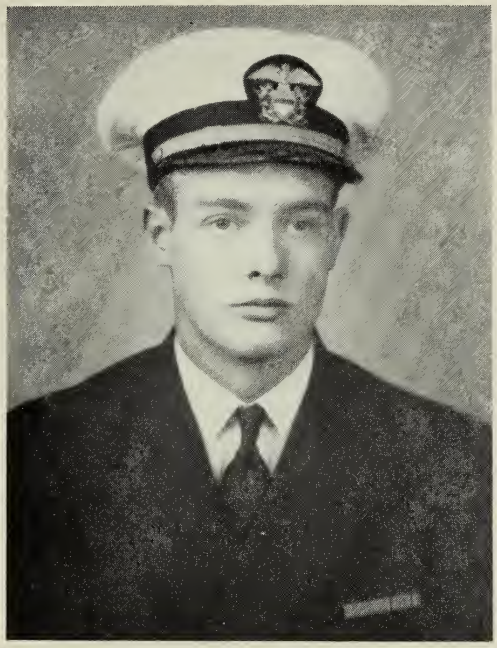
In memory of those who made the supreme sacrifice in the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II from Cohasset, Massachusetts during the period of actual conflict; December 7th, 1941 to V-J Day, August 14, 1945.

ALLEN ADAMS BUFFUM

He lost his life on the Ship "E. Van Ransaeler Thayer," an oil tanker, which was sunk by a German submarine off the coast of Brazil, South America, on April 9th, 1942. Allen was a veteran of World War I as a member of Field Hospital Unit No. 28, 4th Division, U. S. Army, serving fifteen months over-seas.



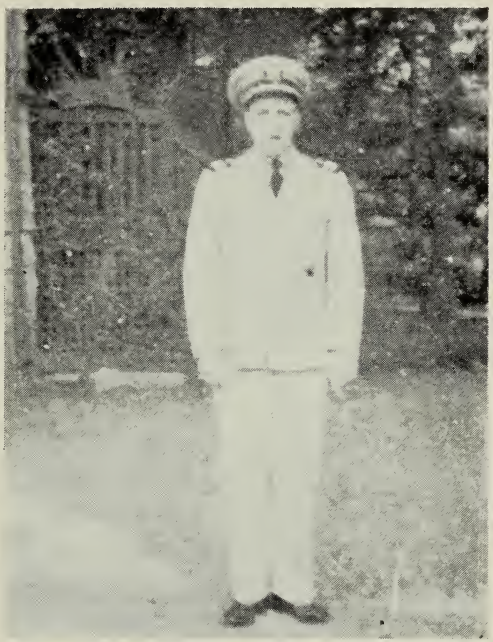
LT. (j.g.) HOWARD ROGERS GLEASON, USNR.

As Ensign, Howard joined a submarine division in the Pacific about July 19, 1944, following previous intensive training in the Caribbean and at New London. After duties in various parts of the Pacific he was assigned to the U. S. Submarine Trigger (then the leading submarine of the Fleet) about November 1, 1944. After two arduous patrols in enemy waters during which he served as officer captain of the gun crew, he was promoted to Lieutenant (j. g.) February 1, 1945 and became communication and commissary officer of the Trigger. The vessel was presumed lost in the Ryukyu Achipelago with all hands about March 27, 1945.

As Communication and Commissary Officer of the U. S. S. Trigger he materially contributed to the success of this vessel against the enemy, and was commended for his splendid performance of duty which was in keeping with the highest traditions of the Naval Service.

ROBERT E. JASON, MM 1c U. S. NAVY

He enlisted in the U. S. Navy on November 16th, 1940 and was called to active duty on January 7th, 1941 with the rating of Fireman 2nd Class. He was assigned. in April, 1941 to the U. S. S. St. Augustine, a Naval Patrol Boat performing convoy duty from the North Atlantic to the West Indies. He lost his life in the sinking of the U. S. S. St. Augustine off the coast of New Jersey on January 7th, 1944.



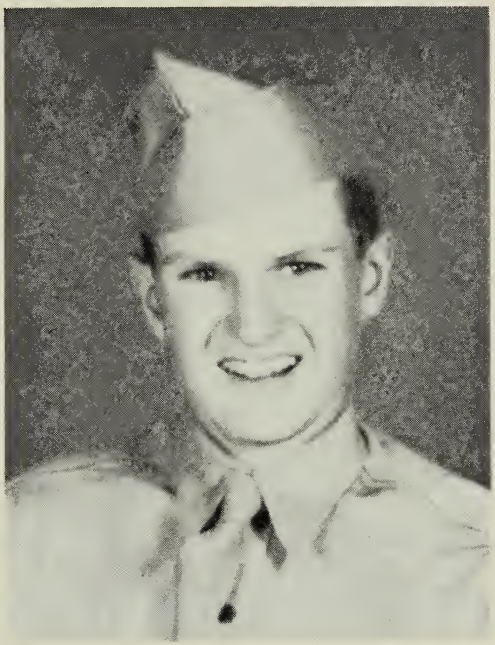
PERRY JOHNSON, U. S. N.

He enlisted in the U. S. Navy December 7, 1941 and lost his life on February 25th, 1943, while serving on board the U. S. S. Haven, a destroyer attached to the Pacific Fleet while on active duty at the Solomon Islands, South Pacific.

WILLIAM B. LONG, JR.

Killed at Brest, France, August 26th, 1944. He is buried in the cemetery at Caen, France.

He was a member of the 2nd and 3rd Headquarters Battalion, 28th Infantry, 8th Army Division.



PFC. DAVID H. PARKER

He was a member of the 311th Infantry Regiment of the U. S. Army. Pfc. Parker, a platoon runner, took command of a squad on his own initiative when its leader became a casualty during an attack on Kesternich, Germany, February 1, 1945, and led it forward. While in charge of the squad a mortar shell dropped near Pfc. Parker, killing him instantly, but his personal effort and bravery was an incentive for the squad to move forward and take its objective. Pfc. Parker was awarded the Bronze Star post-humously for this action.

SGT. EVERETT F. STUDLEY

A member of the 101st Infantry Regiment U. S. Army. He enlisted in Co. K, 101st Infantry of the 26th Division on September 28, 1940 and was killed in action November 28, 1944 at Vibersviller, France. He was hit by enemy small arms fire while successfully leading his men in an attack across open ground. He was mortally wounded in the chest and died immediately and was buried in the United States Military Cemetery at Limey, France.

Men and Women who served in the Armed Forces of the United States in World War II from Cohasset, Massachusetts during the period of actual conflict; December 7th, 1941 to V-J Day, August 14, 1945.

Ablomowich, Anthony J.
Ackerman, Walter D.
Ahearn, Austin L., Jr.
Ainslie, Henry W., Jr.
Ainslie, Elmer A.
Ainslie, Frank W.
Ainslie, Lawrence D.
Almeda, Walter S.
Almeida, Manuel C.
Andrews, Richard
Austin, John F.
Barnes, William T., Jr.
Barrows, Helen
Bates, G. Warren
Bates, Philander
Bailey, Louis C., Jr.
Bandura, Oscar F.
Barker, Grant S.
Barrows, Fred E.
Barrow, Richard P.
Bartlett, Morton
Bates, Abbott E.
Bates, J. Lewis, Jr.
Beal, Ronald G.
Beatty, Earl A.
Beatty, William K.
Benedict, George W., 3rd
Bigelow, George F.
Bigelow, Joseph S., 3rd
Binnian, Samuel S.
Binnian, William
Blackmur, Paul
Blakeley, Henry W.
Braccini, Susan A.
Brasill, Clarence J.
Bray, Warren
Brennock, Henry E.
Bridges, Harry A.
Brown, George W.
Browne, Frank W., 2nd
Buffum, Robert
Buffum, Allen
Burdett, James E.
Cadose, Joseph L.
Cahouet, Ralph H., Jr.
Campbell, George V.
Campbell, Harold W.
Campbell, Robert
Campbell, Walter A.
Carroll, Emery Hugh
Cattuti, Nunzio F.
Cappuccio, Joseph
Card, Norman C., Jr.
Carpenter, George D.
Cassano, Harold L.
Chase, Richard
Chase, Roy F.
Chesna, William J.
Chisholm, Harry W., Jr.
Christopher, Byron M.
Churchill, Thomas G.
Clark, Ellery H., Jr.
Clay, John H.
Clugston, Elsie W.
Clark, Thomas F.
Codman, Alfred, Jr.
Collier, Robert V., Jr.
Conroy, Joseph S.
Conte, Vito
Collins, James F., Jr.
Cornwall, William H.
Coulter, Roger B.
Cortez, Richard F.
Cox, Raymond B., Jr.
Coyne, Philip W.
Crafts, Donald A.

Crafts, Roger
Croom, Jackson
Cummings, Leo S.
Cunningham, John M.
Cunningham, James H.
Cunningham, Paul G.
Curtis, John S.
Curry, Richard J.
Curren, Gerald C.
Daley, Alfred J.
Daley, Carroll D.
Damon, Newcomb L.
Damon, Kendall L.
Davis, Alden
Davy, Ralph E.
Dean, John H.
Dean, Phillip
Dean, Russell
Dean, Gifford R.
Derby, F. Curtis
DeRocha, John C.
Del Grosso, Chauncey
DeSantos, Edgar E.
DeSantos, Frank C.
Desmond, William J.
DeVito, Joseph J.
DeVito, Samuel A.
DeVito, Nicholas S. L.
DeVito, Vincent G.
Dickson, Clifford J.
DiNicola, Anthony
Dexter, Russell
Dolan, Frederick T.
Dolan, James E.
Donovan, John G.
Dowding, William H.
Doyle, James W.
Drake, William C.
Draper, John
Dunn, Joseph S.
Edwards, Frederick N.
Emanuello, Francis J.
Emanuello, Paul V.
Enos, William D.
Evans, Kenneth M.
Evanowski, John
Faria, Joseph F., Jr.
Feeney, Edward M.
Feola, Randolph A.
Ferreira, Albert M.
Ferreira, Anthony J.
Fisher, Edward A.
Fitch, Thomas W.
Fitch, Fred B.
Fitzpatrick, Edward J., Jr.
Fitzpatrick, George H.
Fleming, John J.
Flint, Gordon E.
Flynn, Joseph
Forrest, Richard B.
Freeman, Emery E., Jr.
Friel, Harry M.
Fulton, Gurth W.
Gallo, Terry
Gebhardt, Francis P.
Gelinas, George A.
Gelinas, Frank J.
Gelinas, Ralph J., Jr.
Gilbert, Ellis
Gillis, John A.
Gleason, Howard R.
Gleason, Edward H.
Golden, Irwin M.
Goodwin, Arthur A.
Grassie, Albert M.
Grassie, George L.
Grassie, Herbert J.
Grassie, Clarence M.
Grassie, Paul A.
Grassie, Joseph F.
Greenwood, John A.
Hagerty, John C.
Hagerty, Robert F.
Haley, George E.
Haley, Herbert P.
Hall, Bicknell, 3rd
Hallock, Robert J.
Hammond, Stanley W.
Harding, Robert W.
Hartstone, H. Nelson
Hernan, Donald C.
Hernan, Thomas W., Jr.

Hetue, Harry A., Jr.
Hill, Harold E.
Hiltz, Levi L.
Hines, John R.
Hines, Thomas A.
Hines, Wilfred E.
Hirons, Frank K., Jr.
Hopkins, William R.
Howe, Henry F.
Howson, Thomas R.
Hubbard, Shelton P.
Hume, Francis M.
Hunt, Albert M.
Hurwitz, Mary J.
Hyde, Benjamin D.
Infusino, Albert
Infusino, John R.
Ingram, Osborne F.
James, Charles E.
James, Doris P.
James, Eustis A.
James, Robert W.
Jason, Kenneth R.
Jason, Otis R.
Jason, Robert E.
Jenkins, Franklin A.
Johns, William F.
Johnson, Carl G. A.
Johnson, Lewis, 2nd
Johnson, Frederick A.
Kane, Mary Ann
Kane, Albert F.
Keating, Thomas G.
Keefe, John J.
Keegan, Ralph E., Jr.
Kennedy, Charles H.
Kerr, Milton L., Jr.
Kerr, Walter S., Jr.
Ketchum, David D.
Kipp, Hendrick
LaRosa, Alphonse P.
LaRosa, Anthony J.
Lawrence, Mary V.
Lehr, Arthur L., Jr.
Leonard, John J.
LeClair, Donald
LeClair, Kenneth A.
LeClair, Leighton
LeClair, Norman
LeClair, Walter H.
Lemieux, Harold J.
Lewis, Elizabeth
LeVangie, Roger
Litchfield, Alfred F.
Litchfield, Edward L.
Litchfield, James A.
Litchfield, Lester E.
Litchfield, Thorndike
Litchfield, Roy E., Jr.
Logan, Edward F.
Logan, Edward L., Jr.
Logan, Francis V.
Long, Edward B.
Long, William B., Jr.
Longo, Louis L.
Lowrance, David W.
Lovejoy, John M.
Luggelle, Walter F.
Lyons, Gordon N., Jr.
Machionne, John J.
Maree, Robert
Maree, Edward J.
Marks, David R.
Marks, Ernest R.
Marks, Charles A.
Marsh, Herbert B.
Matteson, William G., Jr.
May, Richard T.
May, Willard R.
Maynard, Herman J.
Maynard, Walter H., Jr.
Meallo, Frank, Jr.
Meallo, William
Mello, Augustine L.
Mello, John L.
Menard, Lincoln
Menard, Lyman W.
Mercer, Atwell
Merritt, James L., Jr.
Meyer, Donald M.
Miller, Ronald E.
Mitchell, Francis J.

Mikolaitis, John J.
Mitchell, Kenneth C.
Moller, Kenneth, Jr.
Monteiro, Adelaide E.
Morris, Albert L.
Morrison, William R.
Mulhern, George M.
Munro, Louis W.
Mulcahy, T. Frederick
Mulcahy, John D.
Murphy, Daniel F., Jr.
Murphy, Francis T.
Murphy, Garrett O.
MacMulkin, Edward
McAuliffe, Charles J.
McBride, Ellen
McCarthy, William E.
McLaughlin, George P.
McLaughlin, John F.
McLean, David Bruce
McLean, Francis E.
McLellan, Howard
McLellan, John B.
McManus, Francis Joseph
McNeil, Joseph R.
McNeil, Vincent A.
Nardo, D.
Nardo, James
Nardo, Marie D.
Nardo, Salvatore, Jr.
Nardo, Vincent
Nash, Stephen H.
Nason, William W.
Naun, George W., Jr.
Neagle, Charles
Neagle, George R.
Neagle, Leo E., Jr.
Neagle, Richard H.
Nelson, Robert P.
Noonan, Robert M.
O'Brien, Cornelius J.
Ogden, F. Faxon
O'Hearn, Alfred T.
O'Hearn, Edward J.
O'Quin, Robert B.
O'Toole, Elmer F.
Oliver, Melvin J.
Oliver, Richard P.
Oliver, Robert M.
Ordrnacki, Walter
Ormo, Arthur A.
Parker, David H.
Patrolia, Joseph N.
Pattee, Penelope
Pederson, Olaf H. T.
Perroncello, Joseph
Perroncello, Ralph
Perry, William H.
Perry, George B.
Petersen, A. Fred
Peterson, Edwin A.
Petersen, Lawrence
Petersen, Ralph R.
Philbrook, Charles C.
Piepenbrink, Charles
Piepenbrink, Frederic
Pina, Domingo L.
Pina, Donald
Poland, William E.
Polito, Frank
Pratt, Lyndon E.
Pratt, Bartram J.
Pratt, Elliott B.
Pratt, Edwin H.
Pratt, John J., Jr.
Prendergast, Joseph E.
Purslow, Arthur G.
Purslow, Richard
Putnam, Williard S., Jr.
Reed, William P.
Reddy, Clarence S., Jr.
Reedy, Edward A.
Reid, Howard S.
Reilly, John E.
Reynolds, Darius D.
Reynolds, William P.
Rhode, Eleanor M.
Rhode, Leo M.
Rice, Rawland N.
Richmond, Collamore H.
Ripley, Edward F.
Ripley, Sheldon N., Jr.

Ritter, Harry H.
Robertson, Edgar H.
Robinson, Judson B.
Robinson, Levy
Roche, Margaret
Rooney, John F.
Rooney, Robert N.
Rosano, Francis J.
Rosano, Frank J., Jr.
Rosano, James W.
Rose, Harry W.
Royce, Marguerite
Rudinicki, Julian John
Salvador, Manuel E.
Savage, Maxwell, Jr.
Sargent, Allen D.
Sargent, Clifton
Schiorring, Frank L.
Schiorring, Harold S.
Schott, Edward H., Jr.
Seaver, James D.
Selin, Arvid Earl
Sepka, Bruno E.
Shallow, William J.
Sheldon, John F.
Schofield, Parker F.
Sherrod, Mack
Shyne, John W.
Sidney, Van R.
Silvia, Harry M.
Silvia, Alfred J.
Silvia, Grace
Silvia, Matthew L.
Silvia, William B.
Simeone, Louis N.
Simeone, Robert C.
Simmons, Lavell M.
Sinopoli, Nicholas J.
Sinopoli, Vincent F.
Smith, Edward L.
Smith, Robert
Smith, William S.
Snow, George H., Jr.
Sokol, Emile
Souther, Donald
Souther, Ethel J.
Souther, Hatherly L.
Souther, Louis C.
Souza, Manuel R., Jr.
Spinzola, Samuel J.
Stewart, Irving, Jr.
Stoddard, Charles L.
Stoddard, David W.
Stoddard, Elmer L.
Stoddard, Herbert T.
Stoddard, Sheldon B.
Stoddard, Mary E.
Stover, Charles R.
Street, George E.
Studley, Arnold R.
Studley, Austin
Studley, Everett F.
Studley, Raymond M.
Sullivan, Daniel J.
Sullivan, Ernest J.
Sullivan, George E.
Sweeney, Edward J.
Tanger, Charles A.
Tubman, George E.
Tubman, Kenneth E.
Thayer, Charles E.
Thayer, Sherman R.
Thompson, Richard C., Jr.
Thurber, Mabel G.
Tilden, Frederic H.
Tisdale, Richard H.
Tobey, West E.
Todd, Norman M.
Tolman, Fred H.
Tomaszycki, Antone
Tower, Daniel
Tower, Edward E.
Tower, Leighton S.
Tower, Richard B.
Tower, Frances C.
Tower, Osgood
Towle, Herbert R.
Towle, Nathan S.
Towle, Richard W.
Traeger, Robert S.
Tuckerman, Edward M.
Vickery, Donald

Wales, Gilbert Q.
Wannen, John R.
Walsh, John J.
Warren, Langford, Jr.
Waters, Richard P., Jr.
Watson, Edward
Watson, Richard B.
Watson, Robert B.
Wheelwright, Everett W., Jr.
Wherity, Edward J.
Whitcomb, Theodore C., Jr.
White, Frederic P.
White, James C.
White, Michael M.
White, William B.
Whittemore, Philip P.
Wight, Crocker
Wiley, Sylvester
Williams, Robert S.
Williams, Herbert, Jr.
Williams, John R.
Williams, Warren H.
Williams, Woodrow

The above was prepared by a Committee appointed by the Selectmen consisting of veterans Norman Card, Herbert Williams, and George E. Haley. If there are any errors or omissions, please notify this committee.

The Board of Selectmen take this opportunity to thank the above named for doing this important work.

CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
DARIUS W. GILBERT
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

OF THE FINANCIAL AFFAIRS OF THE

Town of Cohasset

AND THE

Report of Other Town Officers

For the Year Ending December 31,

1946

TOWN OFFICERS 1946 - 1947

TOWN RECORDS

Elected by Ballot

Moderator
ROBERT B. JAMES

Town Clerk
WILLIAM H. MORRIS .....Term expires March, 1947

Selectmen, Assessors and Board of Public Welfare
DARIUS W. GILBERT .....Term expires March, 1947
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON .....Term expires March, 1948
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER .....Term expires March, 1949

Treasurer
MAURICE R. NOONAN .....Term expires March, 1949

Collector of Taxes
ELEANOR T. DOWNS .....Term expires March, 1949

Constables
ROYAL A. BATES
JOHN T. KEATING
STEPHEN H. ROONEY
H. MONTY LA FLAMME
WILLIAM H. DOWDING

Tree Warden
ROSCOE G. PRATT

Highway Surveyor
WILLIAM T. BARNES

School Committee
BERNADETTE CARNEY SHYNE .....Term expires March, 1949
ARTHUR CLARK .....Term expires March, 1949
JOHN L. EMERY .....Term expires March, 1948
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER .....Term expires March, 1948
PERCIVAL N. JAMES .....Term expires March, 1947
MARY C. STODDARD .....Term expires March, 1947

Board of Health
FRED M. SULLIVAN .....Term expires March, 1949
NATHANIEL HURWITZ .....Term expires March, 1948
EDWARD E. TOWER .....Term expires March, 1947

Trustees of Cohasset Free Public Library
KENNETH D. KETCHUM .....Term expires March, 1949
CHARLES C. WILSON .....Term expires March, 1949
JOHN M. DOBBS .....Term expires March, 1949

FLORENCE E. BRISTOL ..... Term expires March, 1948
GERTRUDE E. EMERY ..... Term expires March, 1948
MAURICE A. BLACKMUR ..... Term expires March, 1948
ETHEL T. BOWMAN ..... Term expires March, 1947
EMILY B. GLEASON ..... Term expires March, 1947
OLIVER H. HOWE ..... Term expires March, 1947

Planning Board

PAUL BLACKMUR ..... Term expires March, 1951
NORMAN JAMES ..... Term expires March, 1950
HENRY BURLEY ..... Term expires March, 1949
*CHARLES L. STEGMAIER ..... Term expires March, 1948
Resigned March 21, 1946.
STEWART SANDERS was appointed to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.
ROBERT ALLEN LEONARD ..... Term expires March, 1947

Town Officers Appointed by Selectmen

Town Accountant

MALCOLM H. STEVENS ..... Term expires March, 1947

Registrars of Voters

IRA N. PRATT ..... Term expires March, 1949
EDWARD M. FLEMING ..... Term expires March, 1948
NORMAN CARD ..... Term expires March, 1947
WILLIAM H. MORRIS, ex-officio Clerk of Board

Finance Committee

PRESCOTT T. CUMNER ..... Term expires March, 1949
JEROME F. WADSWORTH ..... Term expires March, 1949
ROBERT J. HILL ..... Term expires March, 1949
*RICHARDSON WHITE ..... Term expires March, 1948
Resigned November 7, 1946
GEORGE P. MAPES, Appointed to fill vacancy for the unexpired term.
BURT M. BRISTOL ..... Term expires March, 1948
ARTHUR SOMERVILLE ..... Term expires March, 1948
ELMER H. PRATT ..... Term expires March, 1947
WILLIAM C. ROGERS ..... Term expires March, 1947
ARTHUR O. WOOD ..... Term expires March, 1947

Chief of Police Under Civil Service

HECTOR J. PELLETIER

Sergeant of Police Under Civil Service

BENJAMIN F. CURLEY

Police Officers under Civil Service

JAMES J. SULLIVAN, JR. — JOHN J. ROONEY
THOMAS B. KANE — LOUIS J. SIMEONE
RANDOLPH A. FEOLA

Special Police Officer under Civil Service

JOHN T. KEATING

Special Police Officers Assigned to Police Department

RALPH S. ENOS
FREDERICK W. SULLIVAN
HERBERT E. MORSE
FRANK J. MIGLIACCIO
EDWIN A. PETERSON
JOHN J. FERREIRA
FRANK E. JASON
GEORGE D. CARPENTER
RANDOLPH A. FEOLA
AUSTIN L. AHEARN, JR.

CHARLES T. HAVEN, Instructor in Fire Arms

EDWARD LEWIS, Radio Division

Special Police Officers

CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
Selectman
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON
Selectman
CARLOS A. TANGER
Private
RICHARDSON WHITE
Private
REGINALD R. BEAL
Sealer of Weights and Measures
THOMAS S. BROWN
Watchman, Hagerty's Boatyard
ALFRED M. SILVIA
Janitor Town Hall
JOSEPH L. OLIVER
Fire Chief
CLARENCE S. REDDY
Deputy Fire Chief
ARTHUR CLARK
Deputy Forest Warden
BERNARD J. SALVADOR
Supervisor of Fishway
STEPHEN H. ROONEY
Private
WILLIAM C. WARD
Whitney Woods Reservation
CHARLES R. BUTMAN
Sandy Beach
EDWARD R. JASON
Private
WILLIAM T. BARNES
Highway Surveyor
HERBERT WILLIAMS
Inspector of Wires
MARTIN GRASSIE
Cohasset Yacht Club
HARRY H. REED, JR.
Private
EDWARD J. ANTOINE
Harbor Master
JOSEPH P. FIGUEIREDO
Assistant Harbor Master
ROBERT B. JAMES
Private

Sealer of Weights and Measures

REGINALD R. BEAL

Inspector of Wires

HERBERT WILLIAMS

Public Weighers and Weighers of Coal

EVERETT W. WHEELWRIGHT
WALTER C. WHEELWRIGHT
DOROTHY C. WOOD
SHERWOOD C. AINSLIE

Auctioneer

W. TORREY LITTLE
WILLIAM K. BEAN

Measurers of Wood and Bark

HOWARD BATES
IRA N. PRATT
LOUIS B. C. BAILEY
RICHARDSON WHITE

Surveyors of Lumber

WILLAM H. ELLSWORTH
JOSEPH A. VALINE

Harbor Master

EDWARD J. ANTOINE

Burial Agent

NORMAN CARD

Assistant Harbor Master
*JOSEPH P. FIGUEIREDO
Died September 11, 1946.
BERNARD J. SALVADOR
Appointed to fill vacancy on October 3, 1946.

Chief of Fire Department
JOSEPH L. OLIVER

Town Counsel
FREDERICK A. THAYER

Inspector of Animals
DARIUS W. GILBERT, V. S.

Forest Warden
JOSEPH L. OLIVER

Superintendent of Moth Work
ROSCOE G. PRATT

Director of Veteran's Affairs and Claims
EDWARD A. MULVEY

Fence Viewers
JEROME C. LINCOLN
ARTHUR F. JAMES
ANTHONY EMANUELLO

Dog Officers
HECTOR J. PELLETIER
JAMES J. SULLIVAN, JR.
THOMAS B. KANE
BENJAMIN F. CURLEY
JOHN J. ROONEY
LOUIS J. SIMEONE

Clam Wardens
HECTOR J. PELLETIER
JAMES J. SULLIVAN, JR.
THOMAS B. KANE
JOSEPH P. FIGUEIREDO
BENJAMIN F. CURLEY
JOHN J. ROONEY
LOUIS J. SIMEONE
EDWARD J. ANTOINE

Organization Board of Selectmen
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER, Chairman
DARIUS W. GILBERT
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON
CHARLES A. MARKS, Clerk

Organization Board of Assessors
DARIUS W. GILBERT, Chairman
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
CHARLES A. MARKS, Clerk

Organization Board of Public Welfare
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON, Chairman
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
DARIUS W. GILBERT
CHARLES A. MARKS, Clerk
MARY E. OLIVER, Welfare Agent

Organization Bureau of Old Age Assistance
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON, Chairman
DARIUS W. GILBERT
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
MARY E. OLIVER, Welfare Agent

Organization of Planning Board

HENRY F. BURLEY, Chairman
PAUL BLACKMUR, Secretary
ROBERT ALLEN LEONARD
NORMAN JAMES
STEWART SANDERS

Organization Board of Health

NATHANIEL HURWITZ, Chairman
EDWARD E. TOWER, Secretary
FRED W. SULLIVAN

Appointments by Board of Health

Inspector of Milk and Vinegar

CHARLES E. FRATES

Inspector of Slaughtering

DARIUS W. GILBERT, V. S.

COMMITTEES

Under Article 5, Special Town Meeting September 1946

Voted by a voice vote in the affirmative that the Selectmen be and hereby are instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) citizens of the town for the purpose of studying and investigating the matter of erection of a permanent War Memorial; that the sum of $500.00 be and hereby is appropriated from surplus funds in the treasury for the use of said committee; and that said committee report the results of such investigation and study and its recommendations at the next Town Meeting.

The five citizens appointed by the Selectmen are as follows:

EDWARD A. MULVEY
THOMAS G. CHURCHILL
PAUL BLACKMUR
MISS MARTHA G. GRANGE
MRS. ROBERT C. KNOWLES

Under Article 6, March Meeting 1945

The following New High School Building Committee made a report of progress.

EDWARD F. WILLCUTT
ARTHUR L. CLARK
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
JOHN L. EMERY
FRANCIS W. HAGERTY
WILLIAM H. McGAW
ARTHUR SOMERVILLE
HENRY E. SWEENEY
ALFRED W. PRATT
JOHN N. MacNEILL
E. CLAYTON HYLAND

Under Article 20, March Meeting 1945

The following committee appointed by the Selectmen to investigate and determine the need for a Modern Central Fire Station and a Modern Police Station be continued in existence.

HAROLD F. BARNES
LAWRENCE F. LINCOLN
BARTLETT TYLER
JOSEPH L. OLIVER
MILTON L. KERR
RICHARD C. THOMPSON
GEORGE P. MAPES
CLARENCE S. REDDY
HECTOR J. PELLETIER
EDWARD R. JASON
CHARLES E. HOWE
HOWARD BATES

Under Article 27, March Meeting 1945

The following committee appointed by the Selectmen to investigate the water situation be continued in existence:

THOMAS F. CULLINEY
GILBERT S. TOWER
STEWART SANDERS
ROSCOE E. SHERBROOKE
PHILIP L. TOWLE
HOMER A. SEVERNE
FREDERIC D. MacNEILL
ROBERT J. HILL
LLOYD W. TROTT

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Town of Cohasset

REPORT OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Held March 2, 1946

At the Annual Business Meeting held at the Ripley Road School at 2 o'clock P. M., March 2, 7946 the following Articles were contained in the Warrant and acted upon as recorded:

Checkers previously appointed for entrance, by the Selectmen and sworn by Town Clerk William H. Morris at 1:30 o'clock P. M., were Harry A. P. Hetue, Emery E. Freeman, Pauline G. Thrasher, Rosilla Trott, Mamie F. Keegan, and Catherine D. Noonan.

The Meeting was opened at 2:20 o'clock P. M., by the moderator and the Town Clerk proceeded to read the call of the Meeting.

Tellers appointed by the Moderator and sworn by Town Clerk William H. Morris at 2:21 o'clock P. M., were Henry E. Sweeney, Ziba T. Lapham, Reginald R. Beal, and Charles A. Marks.

The Moderator ascertained from the Checkers the number of voters present, as checked on the incoming voting lists which was 556.

An invocation was offered by the Rev. Francis S. Keaney after which all stood in silence for a period of one minute in memory of the departed of World War II.

ARTICLE 1. To see what action the Town will take on the following Resolution.

RESOLUTION:

WHEREAS: The voters of the Town of Cohasset are assembled in Town Meeting to deal with the Business of the Town; and

WHEREAS: An enduring Peace among the Nations is the concern and Business of every voter in the Town; and

WHEREAS: The Business of Peace on Earth is not and cannot be the sole concern of statesmen, office-holders and Governments; and

WHEREAS: All Governments derive their just powers from the consent of the governed; and

WHEREAS: An enduring Peace must grow from the grass roots as do all living things and in and through the United Nations Organization; and

WHEREAS: In the instance of Peace the grass roots are in the homes, daily living and thinking of our people, — in our Schools and above all in the Churches which teach the Law and Gospel of the God of Peace; and

WHEREAS: Without this living growth of Peace from the grass roots of our Homes, Schools and Churches and in and through the United Nations Organization, other efforts are doomed to failure;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the voters of the town of Cohasset in Town Meeting assembled record our conviction that the Government of the United States of America should support to the full extent of its power the United Nations Organization in which lies our greatest hope for a peaceful world; and that we further record our conviction that such

a commitment by our nation and the other great powers of the world, will effectively prevent aggression without the actual employment of armed forces,

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That we record this conviction and this Resolution in the records of the Town, and that the Town Clerk be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to send copies of the same to the Governor of this Commonwealth, the members of the U. S. Senate and House of Representatives from this Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and to the President of the United States.

Voted: Unanimously by a voice vote that this Resolution be adopted.

ARTICLE 2. To choose all town officers not required to be elected by ballot.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and directed to appoint all Town Officers not required to be elected by ballot.

ARTICLE 3. To act upon the reports of the various town officers as printed in the annual report for the year 1945.

VOTED: Unanimously by a voice vote, that the reports of the various Town Officers as printed in the annual report for the year 1945 be accepted.

ARTICLE 4. Lot E. Bates and others: To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 58A of Chapter 48 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) or additions or amendments thereto, which provides for the establishment of the average weekly hours of duty of permanent members of the Fire Department at not exceeding 70, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 5. What sums of money will the Town raise and appropriate for operation, salaries and expenses for the following:

VOTED: That the subdivisions and sections of this Article be considered, covered and acted upon in one vote; that in view of the increased cost of living the temporary increases heretofore voted over 1941 base pay (of 26½%) plus base increases since, be and hereby is made in the salaries and compensation of the Town's elected Public Officials and Town Officers, retroactive to and effective as of January 1, 1946, and until the next Annual Meeting in 1947, except as restricted heretofore to any one office or position and as restricted heretofore in the case of combined offices and positions in the case of individuals holding more than one office or position; a similar restricted increase in the case of all appointed officers, positions and employees in all departments, retroactive, effective and until said 1947 annual meeting as aforesaid being hereby recommended; and therefore that the sum of $328,507.02 be raised and appropriated, $16,310.00 for salaries of elected Town Officers, the same being so fixed as follows, and $312,197.02 for salaries, operation, maintenance and expenses of the various departments and all for the purposes itemized in sections No. 1 to No. 49 inclusive of this article and contained in the Warrant as follows:

Section 1.	Moderator, Salary	$126.50
Section 1a.	Finance Committee	350.00
Section 1b.	Planning Board	200.00

Section 2. Selectmen, Salaries:			
Chairman, 1 at $759.00	$759.00		
Members, 2 at $379.50	759.00		
		$1,518.00	
Expenses		929.00	
			2,447.00
Section 3. Auditor and Accountant and Expenses			3,041.00
Section 4. Treasurer:			
Salary	2,200.00		
Expenses	911.00		
			3,111.00
Section 5. Collector of Taxes:			
Salary	2,200.00		
Expenses	1,280.00		
			3,480.00
Section 6. Assessors:			
Salaries			
Chairman, 1 at $1,752.50	1,752.50		
Members, 2 at 759.00	1,518.00		
		3,270.50	
Expenses		1,420.80	
			4,691.30
Section 7. Other Finance Offices and Accounts, certification of Notes			10.00
Section 8. Law and Legal Counsel			1,581.25
Section 9. Town Clerk:			
Salary	1,138.50		
Expenses	787.50		
			1,926.00
Section 10. Elections, Registrations and Town Meetings			2,006.00
Section 10a. Engineering, Maintenance			300.00
Section 10b. Engineering, Outlay, Assessors' tax Plats, etc.			150.00
Section 11. Town Hall			5,932.25
Section 12. Police Department			24,000.00
Section 13. Fire Department			26,763.88
Section 13a. Fire Department, Fire Alarm			2,402.73
Section 14 Fire Department, Hydrant service, also Water for Public Buildings and other uses			10,200.00
Section 15 Inspection of Wires			794.00
Section 16. Sealing of Weights and Measures			518.91

Section 17.	Insect Pest Extermination, Moth Suppression			5,712.34
Section 18.	Tree Warden, General:			
	Salary	632.50		
	Exepenses	2,664.63		
				3,297.13
Section 18a.	Tree Warden, Special Clearing trees for Fire Alarm			367.64
Section 19.	Forest Fires			1,135.00
Section 19a.	Bounties			25.00
Section 20.	Board of Health, General:			
	Salaries, 3 members at $253.00 each		759.00	
	Expenses		1,836.00	
				2,959.00
Section 21.	Inspection of School Children —Dental Dispensary			1,465.00
Section 21a.	District Nurse			1,540.00
Section 21b.	Oxygen, Supplies, etc			200.00
Section 22.	Inspection of Animals			115.00
Section 22a.	Inspection of Slaughtering			100.00
Section 22b.	Inspection of Milk and Vinegar			208.13
Section 23.	Refuse and Garbage Disposal, Town Dump			2,367.00
Section 23a.	Town Dump, Incidental Expenses			100.00
Section 24.	Care of Brooks and Streams, Draining of Ponds, Straits Pond, James Brook, Cat Dam, etc.			1,588.92
Section 25.	Highways General Maintenance including Tarring Streets			
	Salary of Highway Surveyor		3,200.00	
	Expenses		27,304.00	
				30,504.00
Section 26.	Highways, Snow and Ice Removal, sanding streets			12,000.00
Section 27.	Highways, Street Lighting			9,300.00
Section 28.	Highways, Street signs, Fountains and Highways under Selectmen			200.00

Section 29.	Highways, Harbor Maintenance			1,634.75
Section 30.	Public Welfare, General: Administration			
	Salaries:			
	Chairman, 1 at $759.00	759.00		
	Members, 2 at $253.00	506.00		
			1,265.00	
	Expenses		400.00	
				1,665.00
Section 30a.	Public Welfare, Assistance			5,000.00
Section 30b.	Old Age Assistance, Administration			1,640.00
Section 30b1.	Old Age Assistance, Assistance			20,000.00
Section 30c.	Aid to Dependent Children Administration			270.00
Section 30c1.	Aid to Dependent Children Assistance			5,000.00
Section 31.	State Aid			
Section 32.	Soldiers Benefits			2,500.00
Section 33.	Schools, General Maintenance			93,255.29
Section 33a.	Schools, Lunches			9,000.00
Section 34.	Libraries, General Maintenance			7,050.00
Section 35.	Town Commons and Parks General			1,000.00
Section 35a.	Beechwood Ball Field			215.00
Section 36.	Wheelwright Park			
Section 37.	Wadleigh Park			
Section 38.	Milliken Field, Maintenance			750.00
Section 38a.	Damage to Person and Personal property and Indemnification			300.00
Section 38b.	Pension Fund			1,050.00
Section 39.	Memorial Day, Other Legal Holidays and Celebrations			500.00
Section 40.	Town Reports, Printing, etc.			1,385.00
Section 41.	Town Clock			80.00
Section 42.	Town Flag			350.00

Section 43.	Employers' Liability Insurance not otherwise classfied, and other unclassified items	100.00
Section 44.	North Cohasset Post Office and Fire Department Building	205.00
Section 44a.	Bates Building	150.00
Section 45.	Town Guild Hall Building	1,000.00
Section 45a.	Parking Place, Maintenance	5.00
Section 46.	Cemeteries, Maintenance	1,850.00
Section 46a.	Cemeteries, Veterans' Graves	400.00
Section 47	Interest on Loans in Anticipation of Revenue	200.00
Section 48.	Interest, General	100.00
Section 49.	Loans, Municipal indebtedness, Bonds or Notes from Revenue	5,000.00

VOTED: By a voice vote that the previous motion be amended by striking out in the fifteenth line thereof the figures $328,507.02 and inserting in place thereof the figures $331,507.02; by striking out in the seventeenth line the figures $312,197.02 and inserting in place thereof the figures $315,197.02 and further by striking out in Section thirteen, Fire Department, the figures $26,763.88 and inserting in place thereof the figures $29,763.88.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote that this motion be further amended by adding to Section 33 thereof after the figures $93,255.29, the words which amount includes the sum of $100.00 to cover out of State Travel and to be so earmarked and expended.

VOTED: The motion as amended, in the affirmative, by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1946, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

ARTICLE 7. To hear the report of any Committee heretofore chosen and act thereon.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, to accept the Report of the Committee appointed to investigate and report on possible homesites for Veterans.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE AND REPORT ON POSSIBLE HOMESITES FOR VETERANS.

In accordance with the Resolution voted under Article 31 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting held March 3, 1945, the Committee appointed to investigate and report on possible sites on land owned by the Town suitable for subdivision and development for house lots, after due discussion and consideration recommends:

That plot plans of such land showing proposed street layout and lot lines be made by the town Engineer and that, when these plans are made and approved by the proper authorities, such property be made available for purchase for homesites with preference given to Veterans of World War 2 if for personal occupancy.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available cash in the treasury a sum not exceeding $25,000.00 as it may determine for the use of the Assessors in fixing the tax rate for the ensuing year.

MOVED: By a voice vote in the affirmative, that there be appropriated from available cash in the Treasury for the use of the Assessors in fixing the tax rate for the ensuing year such sum not exceeding $25,000.00 as the Assessors in their discretion may determine advisable.

ARTICLE 9. Will the Town vote to appropriate the sum of $744.71, this being the sum received from the County for dog licenses, for Schools, as required by Chapter 140, Section 172 of the General Laws.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $744.71 be and hereby is appropriated from available cash in the Treasury, being the unexpended balance of the Dog Fund received from the County for dog licenses, in accordance with Chapter 140, Section 172 of the General Laws to be expended for the support of the Public Schools.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will raise and/or appropriate from Overlay Surplus, or otherwise, the sum of $5,000.00 for the purpose of a Reserve Fund, or act on anything relating thereto.

MOVED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $1,768.10 be and hereby is appropriated from overlay surplus and $3,231.90 from available funds in the Treasury, making a total of $5,000.00 for the purpose of a Reserve Fund.

ARTICLE 11. (Inserted at request of the Water Investigating Committee). To hear and act upon the report of the Committee appointed under Article 27 of the Warrant for the last Town Meeting to investigate the water situation and to see if the Town will vote to raise and/or appropriate, or provide by borrowing, a sum of money to purchase the Cohasset Water Company, its franchise, corporate property and all its rights, powers and privileges, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 128 of the Acts of 1886 and amendments thereto, and of Chapter 44 of the General Laws; pass any other vote concerning the matter or act on anything relating thereto.

MOVED: And defeated by a voice vote, that Article 11 be taken up as the last article of this warrant or following Article 40, whichever the case may be.

MOVED: By a hand vote that the report of the Water Investigation Committee be and hereby is accepted and its recommendation adopted and

further that the town purchase the franchise, corporate property, and all the rights, power and privileges of the Cohasset Water Co. in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 128 of the Acts of 1886 and acts in amendment thereof and that said Water Investigation Committee be and is hereby authorized in behalf of the town to employ any or all proper and lawful means to take and secure for the Town the franchise, corporate property, and all said rights, powers and privileges.

Yes, 403; No. 63.

ARTICLE 12. (Inserted at request of Police and Fire Station Committee:) To hear and act upon the report of the Committee appointed under Article 20 of the Warrant for the last Annual Town Meeting to investigate the need for a modern police station and to see if the town will raise and/or appropriate the sum of $82,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a police station building to be located at the junction of Ripley Road and Depot Court and for the original equipping and furnishing of said building; authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow any or all of said sum, determine how otherwise said money shall be raised; appoint a committee to supervise said construction with full authority to contract for and in behalf of the town in all matters necessary to accomplish the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

MOVED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the report of the Committee appointed under Article 20 of the Warrant for the last Annual Town Meeting to investigate the need for a modern Police Station be and hereby is accepted without adopting the recommendations of said committee contained therein; that said committee be continued in existence until further vote of the Town discharging it; that other action under this article be postponed indefinitely until such time in the future when conditions improve and the matter taken up upon appropriate article and in a warrant.

ARTICLE 13. (Inserted at request of Police and Fire Station Committee:) To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 15 of the Acts of 1946, which authorizes the discontinuance for park or common purposes land situated on Depot Court and Ripley Road and the taking by eminent domain of outstanding rights and interests therein, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that Chapter 15 of the Acts of 1946 be and hereby is accepted.

ARTICLE 14. (Inserted at request of Police and Fire Station Committee:) To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to take by eminent domain for the erection of a Police Station all outstanding right, title and interest in land situated on Depot Court and Ripley Road conveyed to said Town by the Cohasset Improvement Association, Inc., by deed dated February 23, 1935, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 2076, Page 615; raise and appropriate sufficient money for the payment of any damages awarded as such for said taking; determine how the money shall be raised or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 15. (Inserted at request of Police and Fire Station Committee:) To hear and act upon the report of the Committtee appointed at the last Annual Town Meeting under Article 20 of the Warrant to investigate the need for a modern fire station and to see if the town will

raise and/or appropriate the sum of $98,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a fire station building to be located on the land on North Main Street opposite the residence of Kendall T. Bates, near the gravel pit, so-called, and for the original equipping and furnishing of said building; authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow any or all of said sum; determine how otherwise said money shall be raised; appoint a committee to supervise said construction with full authority to contract for and in behalf of the town in all matters necessary to accomplish the same, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the report of the committee appointed under Article 20 of the Warrant for the last Annual Town Meeting to investigate the need for a modern Fire Station be and hereby is accepted without adopting the recommendations of said committee contained therein; that said committee be continued in existence until further vote of the Town discharging it; that other action under this article be postponed indefinitely until such time in the future when conditions improve and the matter taken up upon appropriate article and in a Warrant.

ARTICLE 16. (Inserted at request of Police and Fire Station Committee:) To see if the Town will vote to abandon for gravel pit purposes the land on North Main Street recommended by the Committee appointed under Article 20 of the Warrant at the last Annual Town Meeting to be used for the erection of a fire station thereon, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 17. (Inserted at request of Police Dept.:) To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 towards the purchase and equipping of a new cruising car for the Police Department and authorize the sale, turn in, or trade, of the present 1942 cruising car in use by the Department in connection therewith and part payment therefor or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that the sum of $1,000.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated towards the purchase and equipping of a new cruising car for the Police Department, and the sale, turn in, or trade of the present 1942 cruising car in use by the Department in connection therewith and part payment therefor be and hereby is authorized.

ARTICLE 18. (Inserted at request of Fire Dept.:) To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 towards the purchase and equipping of a new automobile for the use of the Chief of the Fire Department and authorize the sale, turn in, or trade, of the present car now in use in connection therewith and in part payment therefor, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 19. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate and/or other action it will take in the matter of furnishing headquarters and other services or allowances for the local command or detachment of the organized Militia, or what other action it will take thereon.

MOVED: By a voice vote, that the sum of $100.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated for the furnishing of headquarters and other services

and allowances for the local detachment of the organized militia (State Guard).

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to hold its Annual Town Meeting for the transaction of business in the evening at 8:00 P. M. and will amend its By-Laws by striking out in Section 1 of Article 2 the number "2" where the same now appears, and inserting, adopting and substituting in place thereof the number "8" so that said Section and By-Law will read:

Section 1. The Annual Town Meeting shall be held on the first Saturday of March at 8:00 P. M.

The meeting for the election of officers shall be held on the Saturday following; the polls shall be open at six o'clock A. M., and they shall remain open until six o'clock P. M. or until such further time as the meeting may vote.

VOTED: By a voice vote, not to adopt this change.

ARTICLE 21. Frederick A. Dolan and others: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 for the purchase of a 1946 Ford one-half ton pickup truck, for the Highway Department, this amount being the balance due on trade-in of 1940 Ford one-half ton pickup truck now used by said Department, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a hand vote that the sum of $800.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated for the purchase of a 1946 Ford one-half ton pick-up truck for the Highway Department and that the sale, turn in, or trade of the 1940 Ford one-half ton pickup truck in use by the Department in connection therewith and part payment therefor is hereby authorized.

Yes, 148; No. 143.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to appoint any member thereof to the office or position of Animal Inspector and fix the salary of such appointee in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 4A, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, in the affirmative by a voice vote, that the Board of Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to appoint any member thereof to the office or position of Animal Inspector in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 41, Section 4A, until further vote of the Town revoking said authority, and the salary attached to said position is hereby fixed at $115.00 for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 723, Acts of 1945, being an act to authorize the establishment and maintenance of municipal departments and of districts for furnishing information, advice and assistance to veterans of World War II, or other veterans.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 24. To see what action, if any, the Town will take concerning Garbage, Rubbish, and Refuse Collection; whether it will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purpose, otherwise instruct its Selectmen in the matter or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $122.13 to pay a 1945 unpaid bill covering electrical work at the Town Hall.

VOTED: By a hand vote, that the sum of $122.13 be and hereby is raised and appropriated to pay a 1945 unpaid bill covering electrical work at the town hall.

Yes, 258; No, 0.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will vote to close out to Surplus Revenue the following unexpended balances, or act on anything relating thereto:

Basketball Court at Ripley Road School (Art. 25 of 1944 Warrant)	$2.67
Town Hall Purchase of Piano (Art. 15 of 1945 Warrant)	200.00
Civilian Defense (Art. 11 of 1945 Warrant)	1,815.36

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the following unexpended balances be closed out to Surplus Revenue:

1. Basketball Court at Ripley Road School (Appropriated under Art. 25 of 1944 Warrant)	$2.67
2. Town Hall Purchase of Piano (Appropriated under Art. 15 of 1945 Warrant)	200.00
3. Civilian Defense (Appropriated under Art. 11 of 1945 Warrant)	1,815.36

and the Town Accountant be instructed to make transfers accordingly.

ARTICLE 27. (Inserted at request of School Committee:) To see if the Town will vote to appropriate by transfer to the use of the School Committee to be expended for the improvement, extension, and repair of the heating system and rooms at the Ripley Road School, the unexpended balances of $500.00 appropriated for the insulation of the cap of said school and $500.00 for acoustical improvement thereof under Art. 30 of the 1945 Warrant, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $1,000.00 be and hereby is appropriated to the use of the School Committee to be expended for the improvement, extension, and repair of the heating system and rooms at the Ripley Road School by transfer of the unexpended balances of $500.00 appropriated for the insulation of the cap of said school and $500.00 for acoustical improvement thereof under Art. 30 of the 1945 Warrant.

ARTICLE 28. (Inserted at Request of School Committee:) To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purchase and installation of equipment to heat the school buildings by oil, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, no on this article.

ARTICLE 29. (Inserted at Request of School Committee:) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the renovation, repair, and installation of kitchen facilities, cafeteria accommodations and health rooms at the Ripley Road School, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $8,175.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated for the renovation, repair, and installation of kitchen facilities, cafeteria accommodations, and health rooms at the Ripley Road School, the sum to be expended by the School Committee.

ARTICLE 30. (Inserted at Request of School Committee:) To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purchase of a new school bus, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: by a voice vote, that the sum of $3,600.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated for the purchase of a new school bus, the sum to be expended by the School Committe, and the turn in of the old bus authorized in part payment thereon.

ARTICLE 31. (Inserted at Request of Special School Building Committee:) Will the Town vote to accept or authorize acceptance of an advance of money from the Federal Works Agency, Bureau of Community Facilities, under the provisions of Title 5 of the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944, to be used in financing preparation of plans, working drawings, specific procedures and other action preliminary to construction of a new school building, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that the Town accept and/or authorize the acceptance of an advance of money not exceeding $10,000.00 from the Federal Works Agency, Bureau of Community Facilities, under the provisions of Title 5 of the War Mobilization and Reconversion Act of 1944, to be used in financing preparation of plans, working drawings, specific procedures and other action preliminary to construction of a new school, to be expended under the direction of the new School Building Committee appointed under Article 26 of the Warrant for the 1944 annual meeting.

ARTICLE 32. (Inserted at Request of Special School Building Committee:) Will the Town raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to secure architects plans, drawings and specifications for a new school building, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 34. Norman Card and others: To see if the Town will vote to provide suitable headquarters for the George H. Mealy Post No. 118, The American Legion, Inc., and will lease thereto the Guild Hall Building, so called, upon such terms and subject to such regulations as may be determined and further will raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money therefor, or take any other or further action relative thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and directed to provide suitable headquarters for the George H. Mealy Post No. 118, The American Legion, Inc., by leasing thereto the Guild Hall Building, so-called, for a period of five years from March 10, 1946, at a yearly rental of $1.00 with the provision that the Town shall make all inside and outside repairs; that the premises shall be used only for the purposes expressed in the charter and By-Laws of said Post and related thereto; and that the lessee shall properly care for and use said premises and shall not abuse the same.

ARTICLE 35. Norman Card and others: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purpose of purchasing and installing a suitable heating system fired by oil, for

the purpose of heating the premises known as Guild Hall Building, so-called, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that the sum of $350.00 be taken from appropriation for Guild Hall Maintenance, for the purpose of purchasing and installing a suitable oil burner, in the present heating system at said Guild Hall and that the Selectmen be so instructed.

ARTICLE 36. Ralph Williams and others: Will the town raise and appropriate the sum of four hundred ($400.00) dollars to correct the condition of water from a ditch before the property of Ralph Williams on Cushing Road, by installation of a catch basin and drainpipe, said money to be spent under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor, or act thereon.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that this work is to be done by the Highway surveyor and this article be indefinitely postponed.

VOTED: By a voice vote, at 7:00 P. M., that this meeting be adjourned until Monday, March 4, 1946, at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1946

The Meeting was opened at 8:20 P. M. by the Moderator, Robert B. James and the tellers appointed on Saturday were called to the stand.

The Moderator ascertained from the Checkers the number of voters present, as checked on the incoming voting lists which was 331.

ARTICLE 37. James F. Collins and others: Will the town raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to install and maintain an electric street light on Lambert's Lane, in front of the residence of James F. Collins?

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $58.00 be and hereby is raised and appropriated for the installation and maintenance of an electric street light on Lambert's Lane, in front of the residence of James F. Collins.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate by transfer to the use of the Selectmen to be expended in their discretion for Town Hall expenses including heating thereof and other purposes the unexpended balance of $3,284.02 appropriated under Article 10 of the Warrant for the 1944 Annual Meeting for W. P. A. and other Unemployment projects, or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that there be and hereby is appropriated by transfer to the use of the Selectmen to be expended in their discretion for Town Hall expenses including heating thereof and other purposes the unexpended balance of $3,284.02 appropriated under Article 10 of the Warrant for the 1944 Annual Meeting for W. P. A. and other unemployment projects and the Town Accountant instructed accordingly.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to remove the fire hydrant located on Main Street in front of the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. store and transfer, install, and maintain the same on Bancroft Road near the residence of Ralph Monson; appropriate any money necessary for the purpose or act on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a hand vote, that the hydrant located on Main Street in front of the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. Store be transferred, installed, and maintained on Bancroft Road near the residence of Ralph Monson.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purpose of maintaining during the ensuing year, the mosquito control works as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 112, Acts of 1931.

VOTED: Unanimously, by a voice vote, that the sum of $500.00 be raised and appropriated for maintaining, during the ensuing year, the Mosquito Control Works as estimated and certified to by the State Reclamation Board in accordance with Chapter 112, of the Acts of 1931.

ARTICLE 33. To hear the report of the committee appointed under Art. 26 of the Annual 1944 Warrant to investigate the matter of a new school and act upon its recommendations or on anything relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote, that the report of the new High School Building Committee be accepted without adopting its recommendations, that said Committee be continued with instructions to further study the feasibility of utilizing as a building site present unused portion of Athletic Field together with such other available land adjacent thereto which might be acquired for aforesaid purpose, also such other new sites as they deem advisable. That such further studies be started immediately and that said Committee report its findings at the next Town Meeting and cause to be inserted in the Warrant thereof appropriate articles to carry out its recommendations.

VOTED: That this meeting be dissolved at 9:15 P. M.

Total appropriations, less appropriations from free cash and other available funds	$345,862.15
Appropriation, from free cash, for the use of the Assessors in fixing the tax rate, whatever the Assessors may determine, not more than	25,000.00
Appropriation, dog Fund for Schools	744.71
Appropriation, reserve fund from Overlay Surplus	1,768.10
Appropriation, reserve fund from free cash	3,231.90
Appropriation, by transfer from unexpended balances of $500.00 appropriated for insulation of cap of Ripley Road School, and $500.00 for acoustical improvements thereof, to be used by the School Committee for the improvement, expension, and repair of heating system and rooms of the Ripley Road School	1,000.00
Appropriation, by transfer from W. P. A. and other unemployment projects to be used by the Selectmen for Town Hall expenses including heating thereof and other purposes	3,284.02
Total appropriations from all sources	$380,890.88

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Town of Cohasset

Election of March 9, 1946

The following Election Officers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris at 5:55 A. M.:

Nellie E. DeSantos
Elizabeth A. Pratt
Anastasia St. John
Elizabeth L. Jerome
Abraham J. Antoine
Florence E. Hill
Henry E. Sweeney
Manuel A. Marks

The Town Clerk Read the Warrant.

ARTICLE: To cast and/or give in their votes upon the official ballot for the following officers: Moderator for one year; Selectman, Assessor and Member of the Board of Public Welfare for three years each; Selectman, Assessor and Member of the Board of Public Welfare for two years each; Treasurer for three years; Collector of Taxes for three years; Highway Surveyor for one year; Tree Warden for one year; Two members of the School Committee for three years each; Five Constables for one year each; One Member of the Board of Health for three years; Three trustees of the Cohasset Free Public Library for three years each; One member of the Planning Board for five years.

Polls opened at 6 A. M. Proceeded to vote for Town Officers on the Official Ballot.

The following Tellers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris at 12 o'clock Noon:

Mary D. Migliaccio
Austin L. Ahearn
Katherine Donovan
Reginald R. Beal
Frank O. Pattison
Frances C. Downs
Ada B. Reed
Clara Highland
Mildred T. Browne
Ora H. Pratt

At 6 o'clock P. M. it was voted by those present to keep the polls open until 8 o'clock P. M.

At 8 o'clock P. M. the Polls were closed. The Ballot Box registered 1636, the Ballot Check List had 1636 names checked and the Voting Check List had 1636 names checked.

Total number of ballots cast was 1636. The following vote was declared:

Moderator for One Year

Robert B. James	1314
Blanks	322

Selectman for Three Years

George R. Neagle	96
Charles L. Stegmaier	832
Everett W. Wheelwright	650
Scattering	2
Blanks	56

Assessor for Three Years

George R. Neagle	116
Charles L. Stegmaier	819
Everett W. Wheelwright	645
Scattering	1
Blanks	55

Member of Board of Public Welfare for Three Years

George R. Neagle	116
Charles L. Stegmaier	812
Everett W. Wheelwright	638
Scattering	1
Blanks	69

Selectman for Two Years,

UNEXPIRED TERM OF A. FRED PETERSEN WHO RESIGNED ON January 21, 1946

Hugh Bancroft, Jr.	152
Thomas G. Churchill, Jr.	500
William J. Kelley	107
Ira B. P. Stoughton	828
Blanks	49

Assessor for Two Years,

UNEXPIRED TERM OF A. FRED PETERSEN WHO RESIGNED ON January 21, 1946

Hugh Bancroft, Jr.	164
Thomas G. Churchill, Jr.	490
William J. Kelley	109
Ira B. P. Stoughton	815
Blanks	61

Member of Board of Public Welfare for Two Years

UNEXPIRED TERM OF A. FRED PETERSEN WHO RESIGNED ON January 21, 1946

Hugh Bancroft, Jr.	164
Thomas G. Churchill, Jr.	483
William J. Kelley	115
Ira B. P. Stoughton	811
Blanks	63

Treasurer for Three Years

Maurice R. Noonan	1352
Blanks	284

Collector of Taxes for Three Years

Joseph J. Curley	468
Eleanor T. Downs	1064
Blanks	104

Highway Surveyor for One Year

William T. Barnes	1120
George E. Haley	377
Frederick W. Pape	87
Scattering	1
Blanks	51

Tree Warden for One Year

Norman F. James	245
Edward L. Litchfield	59
Roscoe G. Pratt	1210
Scattering	2
Blanks	120

School Committee for Three Years

Howard Bates	789
Arthur L. Clark	795
Bernadette Carney Shyne	823
Blanks	865

Constables for One Year

Royal A. Bates	1040
William Henry Dowding	948
John T. Keating	1144
H. Monty La Flamme	956
Stephen H. Rooney	1058
Scattering	2
Blanks	3032

Board of Health for Three Years

Abraham J. Antoine, Jr.	699
Fred W. Sullivan	845
Blanks	92

Trustees of Cohasset Free Public Library for Three Years

John M. Dobbs	962
Kenneth D. Ketchum	1044
Charles C. Wilson	1062
Scattering	24
Blanks	1816

Member of Planning Board for Three Years

Paul Blackmur	1067
Slattering	11
Blanks	558

At 9:30 o'clock P. M., a motion was made and seconded and so voted that this meeting be dissolved.

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Town Clerk

STATE PRIMARY, JUNE 18, 1946

The following Election Officers were sworn in by the Town Clerk, William H. Morris, at 12 o'clock Noon:

Abraham J. Antoine, Sr.	Frances Downs
Florence E. Hill	Anastasia St. John
Elizabeth A. Pratt	Henry E. Sweeney
Elizabeth L. Jerome	Manuel A. Marks

The Town Clerk read the Warrant.

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

GOVERNOR FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
SENATOR IN CONGRESS FOR THIS COMMONWEALTH
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS FOR THE NINTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
COUNCILLOR FOR THE SECOND COUNCILLOR DISTRICT
SENATOR FOR THE NORFOLK AND PLYMOUTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT
ONE REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT FOR THE THIRD PLYMOUTH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT
DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT
CLERK OF COURTS FOR NORFOLK COUNTY
REGISTER OF DEEDS FOR THE NORFOLK DISTRICT
ONE COUNTY COMMISSIONER FOR NORFOLK COUNTY

The Polls opened at 12 o'clock noon. Proceeded to vote for State and County Officers on the Official Ballot.

The following Tellers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris, at 4 o'clock P. M.:

Clara E. Hyland	Frank O. Pattison
Harry A. P. Hetue	Reginald R. Beal
Nellie E. DeSantos	Katherine F. Donovan
Ada B. Reed	

At 8 o'clock P. M., the polls were closed. The Ballot Box registered 198, the Ballot Check List had 198 names checked, the Voting Check List had 198 names checked.

Total Number of ballots cast was 198. The following vote was declared:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

Seventeen Ballots cast

GOVERNOR

Maurice J. Tobin	13
Francis D. Harrigan	4

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

John B. Carr	0
Paul A. Dever	12
Daniel J. O'Connell	0
Roger L. Putnam	5

SECRETARY

John J. Concannon	3
Benedict F. Fitzgerald, Jr.	4
Leo Moran	0
Paul H. Snow	3
Blanks	7

TREASURER

John E. Hurley	15
Thomas Khoury	1
Blanks	1

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley	14
Blanks	3

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Harry E. Casey	0
Michael F. Hourihan	1
Edward A. Hutchinson	2
Francis E. Kelly	5
Joseph M. McDonough	7
Blanks	2

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

David I. Walsh	14
Blanks	3

CONGRESSMAN — NINTH DISTRICT

William McAuliffe	6
George A. Mooney	2
Alfred S. Schenkman	7
Blanks	2

COUNCILLOR — SECOND DISTRICT

Samuel G. Thorner	13
Blanks	4

SENATOR — NORFOLK AND PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Theodore S. Luddington	13
Blanks	4

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
THIRD PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Augustine G. Higgins	13
Blanks	4

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Blanks	17

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT

Alfred DeQuoy	13
Blanks	4

CLERK OF COURTS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Blanks	17

REGISTER OF DEEDS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Blanks	17

REPUBLICAN PARTY

One hundred eighty-one Ballots Cast

GOVERNOR

Robert F. Bradford	169
Blanks	12

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Albert Cole	18
Arthur W. Coolidge	160
Blanks	3

SECRETARY

Frederick W. Cook	169
Blanks	12

TREASURER

Fred J. Burrell	42
Laurence Curtis	132
Blanks	7

AUDITOR

Wallace E. Stearns	36
Russell A. Wood	125
Blanks	20

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes	170
Blanks	11

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr.	168
Blanks	13

CONGRESSMAN — NINTH DISTRICT

Charles L. Gifford	152
Blanks	29

COUNCILLOR — SECOND DISTRICT

Clayton L. Havey	147
Salvatore Fotino	9
Blanks	25

SENATOR — NORFOLK AND PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Newland H. Holmes	154
Blanks	27

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
THIRD PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Nathaniel Hurwitz	171
Scattering	1
Blanks	9

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Frederick A. Leavitt	155
Blanks	26

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT

Edmund R. Dewing	168
Blanks	13

CLERK OF COURTS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Willard E. Everett	155
Blanks	26

REGISTER OF DEEDS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Donald F. Crane	64
L. Thomas Shine	95
Blanks	22

At 9:45 o'oclck P. M., a motion was made, seconded and so voted that this meeting be dissolved.

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1946

The following checkers were sworn in having been previously appointed by the Board of Selectmen:

Elizabeth A. Pratt
Rosilla Trott
Mary D. Migliaccio
Catherine D. Noonan

At a Special Town Meeting held in the Town Hall Auditorium September 13, 1946 at 8 o'clock P. M., the following Articles were contained in the Warrant and acted upon as recorded:

ARTICLE 1. To hear the report of the committee appointed under Article 26 of the Warrant for the Annual 1944 Meeting to investigate the

matter of a new school and a site for same; act upon its recommendations, or on anything relating thereto.

MOVED: That the report of the committee appointed under Article 26 of the Warrant for the Annual 1944 Meeting submitted at this meeting be accepted, its recommendations adopted and the Town farm land on Pond Street be and hereby is chosen and selected as the site for the contemplated new High School.

Hand vote, Yes 269 No, 76

ARTICLE 2. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from available funds the sum of $29,000. for the purchase from the U. S. Government (War Assets Administration) for any municipal purpose or purposes, the so-called Government Island real estate property formerly used for lighthouse purposes, instruct its Selectmen in the matter, or take any other action relative thereto.

MOVED: That the sum of twenty-nine thousand ($29,000.00) be and hereby is appropriated from surplus revenue in the treasury for the purchase from the U. S. Government (War Assets Administration) the so-called Government Island real estate and further that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to exercise the Town's priority and to purchase the same for and in behalf of the Town for recreational, proprietory, utilitarian or any other municipal purpose or purposes for which the same may be adopted for the benefit of the residents of Cohasset. As a committee the Planning Board to work with the Selectmen.

Hand vote, Yes, 377 No, 2.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the town will appropriate from any available funds in the treasury the sum of $3,000.00 for the purpose of holding a Celebration and Welcome Home Day for Veterans of World War II, to be expended under the control and direction of the Selectmen with the assistance of such committee or committees as said Selectmen may see fit to appoint, or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote to lay on the table.

ARTICLE 4. Inserted by Selectmen at Request of the School Committee: To see if the town will appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of $2,500.00 for operation and expenses of the School Department, including repairs and changes to school building necessitated to comply with orders and regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety, or take any other or further action relating thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote in the affirmative that the sum of $2,500.00 be and hereby is appropriated from surplus revenue for operation and expenses of the School Department, including repairs and changes to school buildings necessitated to comply with orders and regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

ARTICLE 5. Inserted by Selectmen at request of George H. Mealy Post No. 118, The American Legion, Inc.: To see if the town will appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of $500.00 for the study and investigation of the matter of erection of a permanent War Memorial by a Committee of five (5) citizens of the town to be appointed by the Selectmen, said Committee to report the results of such investigation and study and recommendations, if any, at the next town meeting, or take any other or further action relative thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote in the affirmative that the Selectmen be and hereby are instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) citizens of the town for the purpose of studying and investigating the matter of erection of a permanent War Memorial; that the sum of $500.00 be and hereby is appropriated from surplus funds in the treasury for the use of said committee; and that said committee report the results of such investigation and study and its recommendations at the next Town Meeting.

ARTICLE 6. Elwood F. Litchfield and others: To see if the town will vote to elect its tree warden hereafter for a term of three years instead of one year as at present.

VOTED: That the town hereafter elect its tree warden for a term of three years instead of one year as at present.

Hand vote, Yes, 139, No, 90.

ARTICLE 7. Inserted by Selectmen at the Request of the Collector of Taxes. To see if the town will appropriate from surplus revenue the sum of $150.00 for the expenses of the department of the Collector of Taxes or take any other action relative thereto.

VOTED: By a voice vote in the affirmative that the sum of $150.00 be appropriated from surplus revenue for the expenses of the department of the Collector of Taxes.

It appeared from the check lists that there were four hundred and twenty-one registered voters present.

VOTED: That this meeting be dissolved at 10:10 o'clock P. M.

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Town Clerk

STATE ELECTION

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1946

The following Election Officers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris at 5:55 A. M.

Manuel A. Marks	Kenneth R. Jason
Henry E. Sweeney	Ada B. Reed
Elizabeth A. Pratt	Anastasia St. John
Elizabeth L. Jerome	Clarence M. Grassie

The Town Clerk read the Warrant.

To bring in their votes to the Election Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices: Governor for this Commonwealth; Lieutenant Governor for this Commonwealth; Secretary of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth; Treasurer for this Commonwealth; Auditor of the Commonwealth for this Commonwealth; Attorney General for this Commonwealth; Senator in Crongress for this Commonwealth; Representative in Congress for the Ninth Congressional District; Councillor for Second Councillor District; Senator for Norfolk and Plymouth Senatorial District; Representative in General Court for Third Plymouth Representative District; District Attorney for Southeastern District; Clerk of Courts for Norfolk County; Register of Deeds for the Norfolk District; County Commissioner for Norfolk County:

And to bring in their votes on the following questions:

QUESTIONS

QUESTION NO. 1.

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION.

Shall this measure, which by amendments of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), provides for payments by the Commonwealth of adequate pensions to deserving citizens sixty-five years of age or over in need of relief or support, who shall have resided in the Commonwealth not less than five years immediately preceding the date of application for such pension, and who shall have resided in the Commonwealth continuously for one year immediately preceding said date of application, which is further described as follows:—

The measure, by amendments of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 6, provides for an old age pension commission of three persons, one to be a qualified physician, another to be an attorney at law and a third to be a non-professional person, who are to be appointed and may be removed for cause by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Council, and are to serve under the Governor and Council. Not more than two members of said Commission shall be members of the same political party. Original appointments of members shall be for one, two and three years respectively, and thereafter appointments are to be for three years. Such members are to devote their whole time to the work of the Commission during business hours and be engaged in no other business, occupation or profession. One of their number is to be designated as chairman by the Governor and shall receive a salary of $6,000, and each other member $5,500 per year, with their necessary expenses. The commission is empowered to make and enforce rules and regulations as it may deem necessary in the performance of its duties and as may be approved by the Governor and Council.

The measure strikes out chapter 118A of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), and inserts in its place a new chapter entitled "Adequate pensions for certain aged citizens."

It is provided that pensions hereunder shall be paid from the date of application therefor, but in no event before the applicant reaches the age of sixty-five. The Commission shall render a decision in not less than thirty days from the date of application for a pension or a request for an increase of the amount thereof. Such pension shall, wherever practicable, be paid to the aged person in his own home or in lodgings or in a boarding home, which for the purposes hereof shall include any institution providing shelter, care and treatment for aged persons which is not supported in whole or in part by public funds; provided, that no inmate of such a boarding home or institution shall be eligible for a pension under this chapter while being cared for under a contract. Such pension shall be paid by check or in cash which shall be delivered to the pensioner at his residence, if he so requests, and shall be paid semi-monthly unless the pensioner prefers less frequent payments. Such pension shall be on the basis of need and the amount thereof shall be determined in accordance with budgetary standards established by the Commission. Budgetary standards shall be such as to enable an individual pensioner to maintain a standard of living compatible with decency and health. Such pensions, except as hereinafter provided, shall be at the rate of not less than $48.00 monthly. The pensioner's budget at such times as may be required shall include medical care, if recommended by a recognized physician, eye-glasses, if recommended by a recognized optician, dental care and false teeth, if recommended by a recognized dentist.

In compuiting the pensioner's payment under this chapter, the Commission shall deduct from the pensioner's budget or the minimum payment, whichever is greater, the amount of income the person paid or to be paid a pension hereunder may be receiving from any source, and may deduct therefrom such reasonable amount as may be deemed to represent the financial value of board, lodging or other assistance which is being furnished to such persons from any source.

Upon the death of a person drawing a pension, whose funeral cost does not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars and in whose estate there are insufficient assets to cover the full cost of the funeral, the Commission shall pay to the funeral director the difference between the assets and the cost of the funeral, a sum not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Expenses for medical, hospital and other services rendered to a pensioner, which remain unpaid at the time of his death or commitment to an institution as an insane person, shall be paid directly to the person rendering such services.

No pension under this chapter shall be discontinued nor shall the amount thereof de decreased until the expiration of fifteen days after notice has been given by the Commission to the pensioner.

Provision is made by which a person receiving a pension may be absent from the Commonwealth on a visit without having such pension suspended.

It is provided that General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 273, § 20, which relates to the support of parents by children, shall not apply when parents are eligible to receive a pension.

Provision is made that there shall be set up in the Commission a subdivision of appeals under the jurisdiction of a supervisor of appeals. Any person aggrieved by the failure of the Commission to pay an adequate pension under this chapter, or by the failure of the Commission to approve or reject an application for a pension or a request for an increase in the amount thereof, within thirty days after receiving such application or request, shall have a right to a fair hearing, after due notice, upon appeal to the subdivision of appeals in the form and manner prescribed by the commission; provided that such appeal is received by the subdivision of appeals within sixty days after official notice of the action taken by the Old Age Pension Commission has been received by the applicant or pensioner. The decision of the subdivision of appeals shall be final and binding upon the Commission.

The Commission or anv interested person aggrieved by any decision in any proceeding before the subdivision of appeals may obtain judicial review of such decision by filing, within twenty days of the date of mailing of such decision, a petition for review thereof in the district court within the judical district wherein the pensioner or the applicant for a pension lives.

In any proceeding for review the findings of the subdivision of appeals as to facts shall be conclusive, such proceedings shall be heard in a summary manner and given precedence over all other civil cases. From the decision of a district court upon review an appeal may be taken to the Supreme Judicial Court.

The possession by an applicant for pension under this chapter of assets consisting of cash, active securities or inactive securities, or any combination of such assets, shall not disqualify him from receiving such pension; provided, that the total of such assets, figuring the present cash value of such inactive securities at the sum determined by the Old Age Pension Commission, does not exceed the sum of $300.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension because of the ownership of an equity in vacant land from which their is insufficient income to provide for his budgetary needs or minimum payments, or the ownership of an equity in real estate by an applicant who resides thereon or who, in the opinion of the Commission is residing elsewhere because of physical or mental incapacity, provided that if such equity on the basis of assessed valuation exceeds an average of $3,000 during the five years immediately preceding application for the pension, the applicant shall execute a bond in the penal sum for the amount of the equity in excess of $3,000 conditioned on repayment to the Commonwealth of all amounts paid as such pension without interest, such bond to be secured by a mortgage on the applicant's real estate. Provision is made for the recording of such bond and mortgage without a fee and the apportionment of the proceeds realized from any of them beween the Federal government and the Commonwealth.

A person is not to be disqualified from receiving a pension by reason of the ownership of a policy of group insurance or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $1,000 or of a policy of insurance in an amount not exceeding $3,000, having a cash surrender value not in excess of $1,000, if such policy has been in effect not less than fifteen years.

No pension shall be granted to an applicant who at any time within five years immediately prior to the filing of an application for such pension has made an assignment or transfer of property so as to render himself eligible to such pension. No pension shall be subject to trustee process or assignment, and no applicant for a pension, who knowingly makes any false statement or perpetrates any fraud or deception in relation to his application, shall be granted any pension nor be eligible for one during one year thereafter. A person, his executor or administrator shall be liable in contract to the Commonwealth for expenses incurred by it for a pension to such person under this chapter if such person or his estate is in possession of funds not otherwise exempted thereunder.

If an application for a pension under this chapter is effected by the eligibility of the applicant to receive aid under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 115, which relates to State and Military Aid and Soldiers' Relief, the applicant shall be entitled to exercise such options and execute such waivers as may be necessary to receive the pension which he seeks.

All cities and towns in the Commonwealth shall furnish suitable headquarters for the carrying out of the duties of the commission in such cities and towns.

The measure further provides that there shall be established and set up on the books of the Commonwealth a separate fund, to be known as the Old Age Pension Fund, consisting of receipts credited to said fund under General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 64B, G. L. (Ter. Ed.), c. 128A, § 15, as amended, G. L. (Ter. Ed.), c. 138, § 27, as amended, and all proceeds of taxes assessed under Acts of 1941, c. 729, §§ 9 and 9A.

The Old Age Assistance Fund as in force immediately prior to the effective date of this act is hereby continued in existence, but shall hereafter be entitled "The Old Age Pension Fund."

It is provided that all civil service employees in the Department of Public Welfare of the Commonwealth, including the supervisor, referees and employees of the subdivision of appeals in said department or of any city or town, employed in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law on the effective date of this proposed measure, shall be transferred to the service of the Old Age Pension Commission, retaining their present civil service seniority retirement rights and any step increases from the minimum

pay of their grade earned during their service with said department or said bureaus.

It is provided that all records and property used in the administration of the Old Age Assistance Law and which are the property of the Commonwealth are to be transferred to the Old Age Pension Commission.

This act shall take effect on March first, nineteen hundred and forty-seven,—

which proposed law was approved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 125 in the affirmative and 79 in the negative, and on which the Senate did not vote, — be approved?

QUESTION NO. 2

LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Shall this measure which provides that no labor union may be operated or maintained unless there is filed with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a statement signed by the President and Treasurer setting forth the union's officers, aims, scale of dues, fees, fines, assessments and the salaries of the officers.

The President and Treasurer of a labor union is required to file annually with the Commissioner of Labor and Industries a detailed statement in writing setting forth all receipts and expenditures of the union which shall be open to the public, and the said Commissioner is given the power to summons witnesses and records; and there is a penalty of not less than $50.00 nor more than $500.00 for whoever fails to file a statement or whoever knowingly makes a false statement,—

which was disapproved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 50 in the affirmative and 154 in the negative and in the Senate by a vote of 6 in the affirmative and 24 in the negative — be approved?

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this city (or town) of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one, "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages, but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall license be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

2. Shall license be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not be drunk on the premises?

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

2. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

"Shall the General Court enact legislation requiring jury service by women, with such reservations as it may prescribe?"

"Shall sections one to twenty-eight inclusive of chapter thirty-two of the General Laws, authorizing any city or town to establish a contributory retirement system for its employees, be accepted by this town as applicable to all of its employees except teachers who are eligible for membership in the teachers' retirement system?"

"Shall the Senator in the General Court from this District be instructed to vote to request the President and the Congress of the United States to direct our Delegates to the United Nations to propose or support Amendments to its Charter which will strengthen the United Nations and make it a World Federal Government able to prevent War?

The following Tellers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris, at 9 A. M.:

Reginald R. Beal
Nellie E. DeSantos
Mary D. Migliaccio
Louise E. Conroy
Mildred T. Browne
Emma F. Lawrence
Mary E. Stoddard
Ora H. Pratt
Florence E. Hill
Frances C. Downs
Austin L. Ahearn
Harry A. Hetue
Frank O. Pattison

The following Tellers were sworn in by Town Clerk William H. Morris, at 1 P. M.:

Charles J. Deegan
Frederick B. Jenkins

At 8 o'clock P. M., the polls were closed and after completion of the counting the following Officers and Questions received the following number of votes:

Total number of Ballots cast 1672

GOVERNOR

Robert F. Bradford of Cambridge, Republican 1235
Maurice J. Tobin of Boston, Democratic 403
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus, Socialist Labor Party 4
Guy S. Williams of Worcester, Prohibition 1
Blanks 29

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Arthur W. Coolidge of Reading, Republican	1184
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge, Democratic	440
Alfred Erickson of Quincy, Prohibition	5
Francis A. Votano of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party	1
Blanks	42

SECRETARY

Frederic W. Cook of Somerville, Republican	1269
Benedict F. FitzGerald, Jr. of Cambridge, Democratic	343
Malcolm T. Rowe of Lynn, Socialist Labor Party	2
Blanks	58

TREASURER

Laurence Curtis of Boston, Republican	1210
John E. Hurley of Boston, Democratic	404
Lawrence Gilfedder of Boston, Socialist Labor Party	5
Charles E. Vaughan of Brockton, Prohibition	0
Blanks	53

AUDITOR

Thomas J. Buckley of Boston, Democratic	473
Russell A. Wood of Cambridge, Republican	1132
Pearl J. McGlynn of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party	3
Robert A. Simmons of Boston, Prohibition	3
Blanks	61

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Clarence A. Barnes of Mansfield, Republican	1221
Francis E. Kelly of Boston, Democratic	397
William F. Oro of Boston, Socialist Labor Party	1
Howard B. Rand of Haverhill, Prohibition	4
Blanks	49

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. of Beverly, Republican	1202
David I. Walsh of Fitchburg, Democratic	431
Henning A. Blomen of Boston, Socialist Labor Party	2
Mark R. Shaw of Melrose, Prohibition	1
Blanks	36

CONGRESSMAN — NINTH DISTRICT

Charles L. Gifford of Barnstable, Republican	1237
Grace Farnsworth Luder of Wellesley, Prohibition	10
William McAuliffe of New Bedford, Democratic	345
Blanks	80

COUNCILLOR — SECOND DISTRICT

Clayton L. Havey of Boston, Republican	1218
Samuel George Thorner of Boston, Democratic	330
Blanks	124

SENATOR — NORFOLK AND PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Newland H. Holmes of Weymouth, Republican	1245
Theodore S. Luddington of Randolph, Democratic	314
Blanks	113

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
THIRD PLYMOUTH DISTRICT

Augustine G. Higgins of Hingham, Democratic	241
Nathaniel Hurwitz of Cohasset, Republican	1368
Blanks	63

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT

Alfred DeQuoy of Brockton, Democratic	299
Edmund R. Dewing of Wellesley, Republican	1266
Blanks	107

CLERK OF COURTS—NORFOLK COUNTY

Willard E. Everett of Walpole, Republican	1318
Blanks	353
Scattering	1

REGISTER OF DEEDS—NORFOLK COUNTY

L. Thomas Shine of Dedham, Republican	1321
Blanks	350
Scattering	1

COUNTY COMMISSIONER—NORFOLK COUNTY

Frederick A. Leavitt of Brookline, Republican	1308
Blanks	363
Scattering	1

QUESTION NO. 1
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE LAW

Yes	395
No	765
Blanks	512

QUESTION NO. 2
UNION FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Yes	898
No	263
Blanks	511

QUESTIONS

1. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	992
No	407
Blanks	273

2. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of wines and malt bevarages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	948
No	350
Blanks	372

3. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes	1023
No	289
Blanks	360

HORSE RACING

1. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this county?

Yes	672
No	709
Blanks	291

DOG RACING

Shall the Pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this county?

Yes	497
No	778
Blanks	397

WOMEN'S JURY SERVICE

"Shall the General Court enact legislation requiring jury service by women, with such reservations as it may prescribe?"

Yes	843
No	414
Blanks	415

CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT

"Shall sections one to twenty-eight inclusive of chapter thirty-two of the General Laws, authorizing any city or town to establish a contributory retirement system for its employees, be accepted by this town as applicable to all of its employees except teachers who are eligible for membership in the teachers' retirement system?"

Yes	889
No	313
Blanks	473

INSTRUCTIONS TO SENATOR IN THE GENERAL COURT

"Shall the Senator in the General Court from this District be instructed to vote to request the President and the Congress of the United States to direct our Delegates to the United Nations to propose or support Amendments to its Charter which will strengthen the United Nations and make it a World Federal Government able to prevent War?"

Yes	1162
No	99
Blanks	411

The vote was declared at 11:45 P. M.

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Town Clerk

STATE RECOUNT

DECEMBER 5, 1946

In accordance with an order issued by Frederic W. Cook, Secretary of the Commonwealth, under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 54, Section 135, as amended, an Official Recount of votes cast for Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth, and State Auditor for this Commonwealth were held today at 7:30 o'clock P. M., by the Board of Registrars.

The Ballots were delivered in sealed containers to the Board of Registrars by the Town Clerk, William H. Morris.

The Registrars proceeded to open the sealed envelopes, ballots were recounted and statistics were as follows:

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Original Count

Arthur W. Coolidge	1184
Paul A. Dever	440
Alfred Erickson	5
Francis A. Votano	1
Blanks	42
Total	1672

Recount

Arthur W. Coolidge	1182
Paul A. Dever	444
Alfred Erickson	5
Francis A. Votano	1
Blanks	40
Total	1672

STATE AUDITOR

Original Count

Thomas J. Buckley	473
Russell A. Wood	1132
Pearl J. McGlynn	3
Robert A. Simmons	3
Blanks	61
Total	1672

Recount

Thomas J. Buckley	476
Russell A. Wood	1130
Pearl J. McGlynn	3
Robert A. Simmons	3
Blanks	60
Total	1672

NORMAN CARD, Chairman
EDWARD M. FLEMING
REGINALD R. BEAL, Substitute
for Ira N. Pratt,

Attest:

WILLIAM H. MORRIS,
Clerk Ex-officio,
Board of Registrars

VITAL STATISTICS

Records of Births, Deaths and Marriages Recorded in 1946

Births

Total number of births recorded was one hundred and forty, of which twenty were delayed returns and corrections of past year, sixty-three being born in Cohasset and fifty-seven in other cities and towns. Of the one hundred and twenty born in the year 1946 there were fifty-eight where the parents were residents of other cities and towns. Of the sixty-two whose parents were residents of Cohasset, thirty were females and thirty-two were males.

Marriages

Total number of marriages was sixty including those where both parties were non-residents of Cohasset. Thirty-eight marriages were solemnized in Cohasset during the current year.

Deaths

Total number of deaths was seventy including residents of Cohasset who died elsewhere and non-residents who died in Cohasset. Of the forty-six who were residents of Cohasset twenty-three were females and twenty-three were males.

The principal causes of death were as follows:

Coronary Thrombosis	5
Pulmonary embolus	2
Lucemia	1
Chronic myocarditis	5
Chronic myocarditis and myocardial degeneration	3
Myocardial insufficiency	1
Cerebral hemorrhage	9
Hypostatic pneumonia	3
Cerebral thrombosis	1
Disease of the coronary arteries with myocardial condition	1
Virus infected	1
Cancer of prostate	1
Mesenteric thrombosis	1
Myocarditis	3
Fracture of the skull	1
Chronic nephritis	1
Anemia pernicious	1
Acute gastritis rupture of pulmonary artery	1
Acute cardiac failure	1
Paralysis agitans (Parkinsenian disease)	1
Hypertensive heart disease	1
Cancer of stomach with carcinomatosis	1
Carcinoma of rectum and extensive metastesis	1
Hemorrhage	1
Carcinoma prostate	1
Acute respiratory infection presumably pneumonia	1
Chronic myocarditis arteriosclerosis	1
Stillborn	3
Bronchopneumonia	3
Acute coronary occlusion (Chronic arterio sclerotic heart disease)	1
Cardiac inefficiency	1
Multiple sclerosis	1
Accidental drowning	2
Carcinoma stomach	2
Heart disease (coronary thrombosis)	2
Congenital atelectosis	1
Phlebothomobosis left ilive and femorol veins; pulmonery embolus; arteleclosis; arterio sclerolis heart disease; chronic repluitus; post femoral bgaliesn state	1
Cancer of liver and biliary passages	1
Fracture of the skull with ensuing intra-craniel hemmorrhage	1
Acute cardiac dilatation due to bronchopneumonia and cirrhosis of the liver	1

PARENTS, BE SURE TO RECORD THE BIRTH OF YOUR CHILD WITH GIVEN NAME IN FULL

"Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the Clerk of the Town where such child is born."—General Laws, Chapter 46, Section 6.

Many times returns are made by Doctors and Hospitals before a child has been named. Make certain your child's name is recorded.

SOME OF THE REASONS WHY BIRTHS SHOULD BE RECORDED

To establish identity. To prove nationality.

To prove legitimacy.

To show when the child has a right to enter school.

To show when the child has the right to seek employment under the child labor law.

To establish the right of inheritance of property.

To establish liability to military duty, as well as exemption therefrom.

To establish the right to vote.

To qualify to hold title to, and to buy and sell real estate.

To establish the right to public office.

To prove the age at which the marriage contract may be entered into.

To make possible statistical studies of the health conditions.

Your co-operation to the end that all births may be properly recorded will be greatly appreciated.

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
January			
8	Henry Samuel Dunlap	George W. and S. Regina	(McHale)
8	Deborah Meredith Low	George Prescott and Felice	(Leeds)
16	Russell Walter McHugh	Walter Edwin and Cathleen Marie	(Linnehan)
18	Steven Richard Werner	Leonard Hugo and Anastasia Marie	(Killion)
19	Peter Ross Souther	Kenneth and Daisey V.	(Veinot)
22	Mary Louise Adams	William B., Jr. and Lillian T.	(McMurray)
26	Marshall Albert Litchfield	Edison A. and Catherine	(Souza)
29	Sara Ann Kehoe	John Joseph and Gertrude	(Daley)
29	Barbara Sestito	Salvatore V. and Elena E.	(Rota)
29	Ann Elizabeth Leonard	John Joseph and Ann Elizabeth	(Reid)
February			
5	Marjorie Achille	Anthony and Mary Louise	(Albruzzere)
5	Paul Edwin Hebert	Edwin E. and Mary Jean	(Buckley)
7	David Leigh Worrick	Robert and Ann	(Walsh)
15	Jay Michael Jillson	Martin and Pauline	(Ruiter)
15	Alison Jean Pratt	Warren Stewart and Leona Blanche	(Bruce)
17	Sandra Simone Bennett	Melvin C. and Olivette C.	(Quellettte)
20	Gloria Jean Glowski	Felip Edward and Eva	(Pelletics)
20	Diane Scoppettuolo	Michael K. and Dorothy	(Parnaby)
24	Wayne Henry Ainslie	Henry Wilbur and Winifred Teresa	(Connell)
March			
1	Martin Gerald Grassie, Jr.	Martin Gerald and Grace Ellis	(Jason)
11	Judith Elaine Rogers	John and Shirley	(Good)
11	David Thomas Dolan	John William, Jr., and Flora Elizabeth	(Lovell)
19	Linda May Lawrence	Wilfrid and Lillian	(Michaud)
22	Patricia Ann Carner	Thomas and Marion	(Faria)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
23	Norma Jean Pfister	Ronald Walter and Ann Elizabeth (Rinella)	
26	David Gray Sargent	Allen Dexter and Ariel Harriet (Hirsch)	
April			
7	Maureen Rosalie Fitzpatrick	Edward J. and Kathleen E. (McVey)	
17	Linda Copp	George Frederic and Eleanor (Pusey)	
19	Leo Joseph Fiori, Jr.	Leo J. and Mary A. (Rosano)	
22	William Robert Kennedy	Richard Eric and Marjorie Pauline (Cole)	
28	Elizabeth Russell	Wilbur Hammond, Jr., and Betty B. (Griffin)	
29	Michael Gerard Colleran	Gerard and Kathleen (Kimpton)	
29	Ann Montague	Everett I. and Janet (Hill)	
May			
7	Barbara Ellen Brown	George W. and Helen W. (Wallace)	
13	George Louis Anastos	Louis and Adrienne (Pappas)	
17	Merle Edward Noddin	Frank Russell and Natalie Stella (Blackdon)	
18	Ellen Maye Marks	Manuel A. and Anna G. (Maloney)	
26	Robert Leo Whittaker, Jr.	Robert Leo and Mary Ellen (Manning)	
June			
1	Barry Michael O'Mahoney	William P. and Ann (Gibson)	
7	Sandra Marie Pompio	Nicholas John and Rose (Nardo)	
11	Kathleen Riley	Frank P. and Mildred (Callahan)	
15	Bruce Vaughan	Theodore and Florence I. (Roby)	
16	Veronica Lapham	James and Mary E. (Rooney)	
16	Henry Hevey	Joseph and Frieda (Moeckel)	
19	Veronica Delores Rogers	Lawrence M. and Margaret (Quinlan)	
23	_____ _____	Newell I. and Edna M. Winslow (Wagner)	
25	Patricia Ann McCarthy	Paul and Ellen (Davis)	

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
25	Peter Lane Hubbell	Richard Buckingham and Ann	(Schwab)
25	Parker Fall Schofield	Parker Fall and Nancy	(Ordway)
26	Stephen Francis Silvia	Manuel and Alneo	(Toal)
27	——— ———	Francis E. and Edith A.	(Mueller)
28	Elizabeth Elaine Phillips	Earl W. and Dorothy	(Reid)
July			
1	Joanne D'Alesandro	Joseph J. and Phyllis	(Garofalo)
1	Henry Edward Brennock, 2nd	Henry Edward and Mary Evelyn	(Marks)
2	Frances Abromowich	Anthony and Anna	(Zennell)
2	Robert Moore Bushnell	Richard and Barbara	(Moore)
3	Marsha Baker	Dudley Mills, Jr., and Virginia	(Crocker)
4	Joseph Albert Rosano	Joseph William and Mary Jean	(Dion)
8	Richard Allan Frith	Joseph and Eleanor Agnes	(Lynas)
10	Ronna Lee Sirois	Adrien and Mary	(Baltucci)
10	Rufus Herndon Crockett	Allan A. and Margaret A.	(Seaver)
13	Alexander Rose	Harry Washburn and Alma Joanna	(Stoddard)
14	Thomas Conway	James D. and Frances	(Threlfall)
15	George Edward Casey, Jr.	George E. and Dorothea E.	(Oliver)
20	Janet Teresa Carlson	Arvid and Agnes	(Quigley)
21	Caroline Margaret McGrath	Frank P. and Lorraine	(Moore)
24	Roger Ellis Leonard	Robert A. and Lucie M.	(Baldassinie)
25	Nancy Hall Gates	Alden and Barbara	(Davis)
29	Roy Estes Hollis	Leon P. and Lillian M.	(Abrahamsen)
30	Gerard Lawrence Keating	Thomas G. and Margaret M.	(O'Connor)
31	Richard Charles Rizzotto	Antonio and Emma M.	(Cucinotto)
31	Alison Winthrop Baker	Richard W. and Priscilla	(Northrop)
31	Peter Bates Stoddard	Whelson B. and Myrtle G.	(Morrison)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
August			
2	Barbara Luella Soper	Roger and Luella	(Sinclair)
9	Female Hennessey	Richard L. and Mary R.	(Bailey)
9	Female Hennessey	Richard L. and Mary R.	(Bailey)
9	Evelyn Mae Grenier	Robert Charles and Anna E.	(Wright)
12	Jean Bancroft Steele	Edwin Lee and Jane	(Bancroft)
22	Carol Ann Perroni	Alphonse and Dora	(Scoppettuolo)
26			
28	Joan Marie Witmarsh	Charles F. and Dorothy	(Sullivan)
29	Katherine Mary Stanton	Gerard Joseph and Katherine Frances	(Magullion)
30	David Allen Wuestefeld	Edward and Marion	(Huntington)
30	Carol Anne Blante	John F. and Marie J.	(LaRosa)
September			
7	Nancy Ann Calvi	Joseph and Anne M.	(Taurasi)
9	Linda Collina Towle	Nathan and Carolyn	(Thorpe)
11	Timothy Warren Sands	Carlton and Josephine	(Merci)
13	Fenton McCreery Davison, Jr.	Fenton McCreery and Mary	(Benson)
16	Maria Argos	Basil G. and Andromarkee	(Costas)
17	Sandra Lee Dowding	William H. and Helen E.	(Barnes)
19	Temple Hill	Arthur S. and Ann T.	(Temple)
21	——— ——— Smith	Edward L. and Vivian A.	(Adams)
23	Joseph LaRosa	Alphonse P. and Angelina A.	(Blonde)
24	——— ——— Anastos	John and Zoe	(Polisson)
26	Male Ingram	Osborne Falconer and Marjorie June	(MacDiarmid)
28	Robert Walter Mandell	Richard E. and Elizabeth L.	(Lambert)
28	Daniel Russell	Daniel and Marguerite	(Temple)
28	Marguerite Mayberry Russell	Daniel and Marguerite	(Temple)
29	Judith Ellen Doherty	John J. and Nancy M.	(Henderson)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
October			
1	Mary Jane Tubman	Charles Irving and Harriet Stein	(Compton)
7	Linda Anne Williams	Woodrow Pershing and Charlotte	(Jackson)
10	Elizabeth Ann Watson	Herbert and Josephine	(Beausejour)
15			
15	Rebecca Myra Bates	Howard and Dorothy	(Beesley)
16	William Paul Gilbert	Wallace Leon and Mary Helene	(Wenzel)
22	Gail Spring	John Francis and Mary	(Haney)
25	Jean Frances Consentino	John and Phyllis	(LaPointe)
26	Peter Winslow Mahon	Ashby Turner and Phyllis	(Wheeler)
30	Susan Lorraine Turner	Arthur Herbert and Hilda Vander Zee	(DeYoung)
November			
1	Frederick Randall Plett	Frederick George and Marion	(Fitzpatrick)
2	——— ——— Rothrock	Maurice B. and Edith	(Lonergan)
3	Frank J. Rosano 3rd	Frank J., Jr., and Mary	(Mazza)
14	Ronald Bruce LaBrake	Leo Louis and Merl Olive	(LaFlamme)
15	William Peter Malley	Edward Parker and Cecelia	(McNeil)
20	Sammis McLean	David Bruce and Jane	(Fuller)
23	Glen Dale Salyards	Glenn Alfred and Shirley Joan	(Prave)
December			
1	Robert Owen Churchill	Thomas G. and Celeste	(McAleer)
1	William Edward Poland, Jr.	William E. and Helen E.	(Lamb)
4	Barbara Kerr Greene	Cyril W. and Maude C.	(Little)
7	Barbara Ellen Byrne	Edward T. and Rita A.	(Holden)
10	John Harold Castle	Harold M. and Irene M.	(Robenhymer)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1946—Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
13	Patricia Ann Neagle	George and Margaret Mary	(Kuback)
17	Carlene Frances Amonte	Frank and Ann	(Pizzi)
20	William Robert Stoddard	Charles L. and Florence R.	(Cummings)
25	Dianne Irene Benjamin	Eldridge K. and Barbara L.	(Paine)
28	Chadwick Sinnott	Edmond L. and Lola	(Trindall)
30	Joseph Donald Keating	Donald James and Helen Thersa	(Marksteiner)
31	Ronald Alfred Stasik	Alfred J. and Pauline I.	(DeMello)

BIRTHS NOT BEFORE REPORTED AND CORRECTIONS

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
1899			
April 16	Mercie Vinal Nichols	Stephen R. and Clarissa W.	(Browne)
1916			
June 26	Maria Louise Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)
1918			
Dec. 14	Frank Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)
1919			
Feb. 14	George Mealy Tanger	Carlos Augustus and Emma	(Leonard)
1920			
June 15	Ida Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)

BIRTHS NOT BEFORE REPORTED AND CORRECTIONS — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents*	*Mother's Maiden Name*
1922			
Jan. 22	Augustine Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)
1924			
April 9	John Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)
1926			
Jan. 21	Elizabeth Mello	Antonio and Mary	(Laura)
1928			
Aug. 12	Arline Colangeli	Americo and Stella	(Petrongolo)
1930			
March 27	Clarence Barron Salvador	Louis Edmund and Gladys	(Vickery)
1941			
May 12	Priscilla Martha Adams	George Welton and Elizabeth Margaret	(Evans)
1945			
Aug. 29	Carolyn Cooney	Wilfred O. and Eleanor	(Trowt)
Sept. 6	Peter Hagerty	Francis W. and Mary F.	(Connolly)
10	Thomas Gerald McNeil	Charles A. and Rita L.	(Donahue)
13	Janet Eileen Sargent	Stewart S. and Eileen	(Mitchell)
20	Nancy Sheffield Wright	Lincoln Davis and Nancy	(Noonan)
22	Carl Scott Richardson	Robert E. and Ellen	(Hamm)
Oct. 21	Marsha Elizabeth O'Quin	Robert B. and Elizabeth	(Cortez)
Dec. 8	Charles Jackson Martin	Arthur E. and Sylvia	(Vanness)
14	Sheila Marie Anderson	Ivan Harry and Anne Josephine	(Laugelle)

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1946

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*Married*
January			
7	Frank James Rosano, Jr.	Cohasset	
	Mary Theresa Mazza	Bristol, R. I.	At Bristol, R. I., by Rev. Emilio Donanzan, R. C.
19	Richmond Sears Edling	Scituate	
	Jean Doble	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Roscoe E. Trueblood.
26	Gerald Clifton Summers	Washington, D. C.	
	Pauline Rae Hall (Cutter)	Cohasset	At Milton by Rev. Vivian T. Pomeroy.
28	Maurice Charles Ridpath	Western, Nebraska	
	Marjorie Ferris	Hingham	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
February			
2	Eldridge K. Benjamin	Pine Hill, N. Y.	
	Barbara Paine	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Robert W. Little.
3	Joseph Frank Faria, Jr.	Cohasset	
	Katherine Dorothy Cassidy	Hingham	At Hingham by Rev. John F. Mulkern.
10	George Fiander Pickering	Cohasset	
	Dorothy DuBay	Milton	At Mattapan by Rev. Austin W. Crowe.
24	Frederick George Plett	Cohasset	
	Marion Fitzpatrick	Cohasset	At Hull by Rev. Patrick J. Dawson.
March			
1	Edward E. LeDoux	Cohasset	
	Elizabeth Charlote Lewis	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Robert W. Little.
2	Ralph Richard Petersen	Cohasset	At Braintree by Town Clerk & Justice of the Peace Ernest C. Woodsum.
	Maxine Costello (Boyles)	Sioux Falls, S. Dakota	
24	Melvin N. Burnside	Norwell	
	Doris M. Kerr	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*Married*
April			
21	Robert Harrison Toombs	Greenwood	
	Marjorie Mary Oliver	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
25	Frank J. Sjogren	Philadelphia, Pa.	
	Olga Johnson	Milton	At Cohasset by Rev. Roscoe E. Trueblood.
27	John W. Bland	Pittsburg, Texas	
	Virginia D. Wheelwright	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
May			
3	Howard Wilson Tindall, Jr.	Scituate	
	Jeanne Hathaway Varney	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
4	Kenneth Ellis Thayer	Weymouth	
	Barbara Elizabeth Laugelle	Cohasset	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
5	Peter Spirkoff	Campbell, Ohio	
	Mary Esther LeVange	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
5	Lestor Raymond Gammons	Brockton	
	Dorothy Ermine Bates	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
5	Joseph James DeVito	Cohasset	
	Adele Marie Valentino	Hingham	At Hingham by Rev. Willam P. Casetes.
21	James L. Merritt	Cohasset	At Quincy by City Clerk & Justice of the Peace,
	Mary Nicholas	Cohasset	Hattiemay Thomas.
25	Frederic Crosby Bartter	Washington, D. C.	
	Jane Hazen Lillard	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. L. C. Bartter.
June			
1	Fred John Mispel	Hinsdale	
	Joanne Grace Gonsalves	Dalton	At Cohasset by Rev. Robert W. Little.
2	Warren H. Williams	Cohasset	
	Margaret C. Martin	Cohasset	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*Married*
8	Edward Joseph O'Hearn	Cohasset	
	Esther Johnson	Weymouth	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
9	Gordon Edwin Flint	Cohasset	
	Louise Agnes Lund	Hingham	At Hingham by Rev. Renel W. Beach.
9	William Meallo	Cohasset	
	Emily P. Monaco	Cohasset	At Hull by Rev. Patrick J. Dawson.
14	Kenneth C. Mitchell	Cohasset	
	Emily F. Feola	Egypt	At Scituate by Rev. Austin Rice.
15	Henry G. Simonds, Jr.	Brookline	
	Jean Hendrie	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
29	Robert Colby	Quincy	
	Margaret May Davison	Boston	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
July			
7	John Frederick Duffey	Scituate	
	Mary Katherine Silvia	Cohasset	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
21	George Donald Carpenter	Cohasset	
	Elizabeth Louise Pape	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Robert W. Little.
23	Earl H. Merrifield, Jr.	Norwell	
	Jean Mary McClanahan	Florida	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
23	Harold Warren Campbell	Cohasset	
	Lorraine Irene Geoffroy	East Braintree	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
26	Harold Edward Cortez	Cohasset	
	Jane Grace Delano	Scituate	At Scituate by Rev. James R. Rhodes.
28	Henry Story	Petersburg, Va	
	Elizabeth Howes Barker	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
31	Charles Chase Wilson	Cohasset	
	Dorothy Reinhart (Hickok)	Chicago, Ill.	At Cohasset by Rev. G. Gardner Monks.

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*Married*
August			
11	Daniel W. Howe, Jr.	Cohasset	At Scituate by Town Clerk & Justice of the Peace, William M. Wade.
	Rita Lord (Chant)	Cohasset	
18	Charles Chase Wilson Campbell	Cohasset	
	Dorothy Alice Georfroy	East Braintree	At Cohasset by Rev. Raymond S. Hall, D. D.
18	Anthony J. Ferreira	Cohasset	
	Evelyn Patterson	Scituate	At Scituate by Rev. Frederick R. Condon.
31	Donald Goudey Harrington	Hingham	
	Ruth Wigmore	Hingham	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley.
September			
7	Charles Anthony Marks	Cohasset	
	Margaret Virginia O'Neill	Brighton	At Brighton by Rev. Leonard J. Burke.
7	Henry Bradford Stanton	Ann Arbor, Mich.	
	Elizabeth Brooke	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
9	Harold Blanchard Nash	Weymouth	
	Clare V. Stanton	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Archbishop R. J. Cushing.
13	Robert Elliot Maree	Cohasset	
	Elizabeth Ann Jason	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Ambrose B. Flynn.
21	David Dow Ketchum	Cohasset	
	Nancy Everitt Wendell	Dedham	At Dedham by Rev. Thomas Huntington Chappell.
28	Leo Paul Farrell	Scituate	
	Frances Elaine Mulcahy	Scituate	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
29	John Brand MacDoughal	Newton	
	Dorothy Irene Merrill	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
October			
5	Thomas Eugene Wynne	Brooklyn, N. Y.	
Cohasset	Grace Emily Wood		At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley.

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Residence*	*Married*
5	John T. Coolidge, Jr.	Canton	
	Rosina Emmitt Sherwood	Greenbush	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
12	Frank L. Mello	Cohasset	
	Ellen T. Murphy	Hingham	At Hingham by Rev. James E. Sullivan.
12	John R. Infusino	Cohasset	
	Dorothy A. Rutledge	Cohasset	At Hull by Rev. Patrick J. Dawson.
19	Vincent A. McNeil	Cohasset	
	Helen F. Magnuson	Cohasset	At Hingham by Rev. Arthur W. Surft.
30	Manuel R. Souza, Jr.	Cohasset	
	Helen E. Gundersen (Webb)	Scituate	At Scituate by Rev. Frederick R. Condon.
November			
8	Van R. Sidney	Cohasset	
	Margaret T. Kane, 2nd	Cohasset	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
16	Leo Samuel Cummings	Cohasset	
	Mary Ronald MacIver	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Ambrose B. Flynn.
17	Gerard T. Dwyer	Scituate	
	Annette M. Drew	Scituate	At Cohasset, by Rev. Francis S. Keaney.
24	Robert Harold Miley	Winchester	
	Jean Estelle Merrill	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
30	Edwin H. Pratt	Cohasset	
	Eileen R. Andrews	Weymouth	At Weymouth by Rev. Edward M. Hartigan.
December			
21	James H. Cunningham	Cohasset	
	Anne L. Woods	Tipton, Calif.	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson.
25	Lloyd W. Snowdale	Norwell	
	Nancy Corinne Philbrook	Cohasset	At Rockland by Rev. Vernon Bigles.

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1946

Date	Name	Y.	M.	D.	Birthplace	Parents
January						
10	Joseph Silvia	85	2	7	Cohasset	Frank Silvia and Rose Amelia (Steele)
12	Constance V. B. Smith	52	0	6	Alameda, Calif.	William R. VanBrunt and Juliette (Sellier)
15	Grace M. Tilden	72	10	27	Cohasset	Caleb F. B. Tilden and Priscilla (Nichols)
16	George G. Monteiro	70	1	10	Azores	Joseph Monteiro and Mary (.....)
19	Elwin Hazen Dodge	78	1	15	Merrimack, N. H.	Hazen Garvin Dodge and Anna L. (Fisher)
26	Theodosia Blaock McCarthy	81	—	—	Yancey County, N. C.	Samuel W. F. Blalock and Nancy (Young)
27	Katharine Cassidy (McDonagh)	54	—	—	Ireland	William McDonagh and Mary (Muldoon)
February						
3	Nellie Buckingham Cumner	83	1	4	Boston	Edwin H. Pope and Anna (Prescott)
7	Elizabeth A. Curley (Dolan)	83	5	12	Boston	Bernard Dolan and Winifred (Fallow)
7	E. Norman Beal	29	6	27	Hull	John D. Beal and Astrid (Sovensen)
9	William Gaston Bradbury	57	6	25	Bridgewater	Gaston W. Bradbury and Ella May (Bush)
12	Margaret McAuliffe	71	5	28	Ireland	William Connors and (.....)
17	Caroline Bates Wilbur	75	11	15	Cohasset	Benjamin Morse and Harriett (Fenno)
19	Mary Ellen Welch (Foy)	69	—	—	Ireland	Charles Foy and Mary Ellen (Burke)
28	Stella May	78	7	3	Newton	Samuel P. May and Emma E. (Sears)
March						
6	James Warren Apts	88	6	4	Newbury	James Henry Apts and Harriet (Knapp)
9	Rose Froio	63	4	7	Italy	Rosaro Vocci and Marie (Bruno)
22	Edwin Warren Bates	83	1	8	Cohasset	Edwin Bates and Myra (Fuller)
23	Leander Elliott Grant	79	8	23	E. Arlington, Nova Scotia	Christopher Grant and Sarah (Whitman)
24	Frank R. Daly	33	1	11	Boston	Frank J. Daly and Nina Lillian (Fraser)
31	Helen Richardson Tolman	63	2	9	Boston	Charles J. Henniger and Lucy (McCullock)
31	Harriet J. Nichols	77	6	23	Cohasset	Caleb F. Nichols and Martha J. (Marble)

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Y.*	*M.*	*D.*	*Birthplace*	*Parents*
April						
5	Annie Henrietta Silver	78	5	8	Cohasset	Manuel Brasill and Julia (Silver)
5	Daniel N. McIntyre	82	—	—	Boisdale, N. S. Canada	Michael McIntyre and Elizabeth (McAdam)
6	Rachel Loveland Sachse	73	3	19	Hornellsville, N. Y.	Josiah C. Gregg and Olive A. (Wombough)
15	Frank M. Sanborn	78	7	9	Fryeburg, Maine	Abel F. Sanborn and Amelia D. (Thompson)
16	George Briggs Mapes	80	8	28	Cohasset	Henry Clay Mapes and Clara Bates (Briggs)
21	Arthur H. Sawyer	66	10	25	Cambridge	Albert J. Sawyer and Emma Betsey (Carrier)
25	Marion Louise Gerard	39	—	—	So. Boston	William Gerard and Jane (Pitts)
May						
7	George Walter Salvador	53	8	22	Cohasset	Manuel E. Salvador and Theresa (Azevdo)
15	John Eltman	76	4	—	Riga, Latvia	Peter Eltman and Liza (AtKreevbiss)
19	Joseph Andrew Mahoney	74	4	10	Sandwich	Patrick Francis Mahoney and Mary (Curran)
22	George Foster Higgins	74	8	3	Cohasset	George Otis Higgins and Polly (Pratt)
22	Philip Francis Woodlock	79	—	—	Ireland	Cornelius C. Woodlock and Mary (Hickey)
June						
22	John O'Donnell	0	1	28	Boston	Patrick J. O'Donnell and Mary H. (Wattendorf)
28	Mina Blanche Sparrow	64	10	21	Boston	William Roberts and Ruth A. (Clark)
29	Mary Louise Cady	81	11	25	Malden	Edward Holmes and Mary H. (Breeden)
29	Florence Barba	78	—	—	Italy	Vincenzo Pasciuto and Francesca (LaTanzia)

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Y.*	*M.*	*D.*	*Birthplace*	*Parents*
August						
1	Letitia Mary Nason	67	8	5	Boston	John Keyes and Letitia (Smith)
9		—	—	—		
9		—	—	—		
10	Frank Howard Tyler	79	0	30	Keene, N. H.	Jesse Tyler and Emily (Griffin)
12	William Gent	82	9	21	England	Luke Gent and Ann (Whitfield)
12	Mary Rebecca Tower	74	11	15	Cohasset	Isaac H. Tower and Betsy Ann (Treat)
16	Frank Jason	76	7	16	Cohasset	Joseph Jason and Marianna (Martin)
18	Frederick Pratt Valine	63	9	30	Cohasset	Manuel P. Valine and Sarah (Antoine)
22	Abraham Joseph Antoine	90	2	13	Cohasset	Manuel Antoine and Frances (McLlean)
29	Gault Green	40	2	0		Samuel W. Greene and Anna W. ( )
31	Samuel Graumann	81	11	6	Austria	John Grauman and Maria (Pally)
September						
2	Flora Eileen Naun (Ahern)	77	4	1	Ireland	John Ahern and Mary (Splaine)
11	Joseph Perry Figueiredo	39	1	27	Cohasset	Antoine S. Figueiredo and Mary (Silvia)
11	Mary Josephine Figueiredo	36	7	7	Boston	Dennis J. Fanning and Mary (Walch)
13	Eda Augusta Mitchell (Peterson)	79	3	19	Carlstadt, Sweden	Carl Peterson and Anna A. (Peterson)
24	Abraham S. Enos	57	11	5	Cohasset	Manuel Enos and Alice (Antoine)
24	Anastos	0	0	1	Cohasset	John Anastos and Zoe (Polisson)
26		—	—	—		
October						
30	Cyrus Warren Bates	89	5	13	Cohasset	Ezekiel Bates and Mary B. (Pike)
31	Ella Sumner	86	2	29	Boston	Amos Sumner and Caroline A. (Brehm)

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1946 — Continued

Date	*Name*	*Y.*	*M.*	*D.*	*Birthplace*	*Parents*
November						
3	Amelia S. Cadose	66	11	23	Cohasset	Levi Cadose and Mary S. (li Jose)
10	Gertrude May Williams	56	10	7	Northwood, N. H.	William York and Jennie (Brown)
11	John Prosser Stanton	89	6	20	Powers Lake, Wis.	Benjamin Stanton and Henrietta (Rosenkranz)
19	Eleanor Rita Calvi	24	—	—	Hingham	Rocco Calvi and Philomena (Femia)
20	Clara Edith Hyland	67	4	6	Cohasset	Franklin Stoddard and Ellen Wallis (Bates)
December						
1	Henry P. Killion	26	—	—	Boston	Bernard J. Killion and Dorothy (Agate)
1	Molly (Beck) Walker	47	5	26	Boston	..... Beck and ..... (.....)
12	Emma A. Barrows	79	—	—	Minton	Samuel G. Sloan and Charlote (.....)
21	Raffaele (Ralph) Viola	49	10	5	Italy	Cosmo Viola and Rose (.....)
21	Charlotte Edith Fox	89	3	0	Boston	Charles James Fox and Charlotte Catherine (Bowman)
22	Matilda McDonough	72	8	9	Germany	August Rigent and ..... (.....)
29	Max Freiman	80	1	18	Melbourne, Australia	Napthali Freiman and Bertha (First)

BOARD OF REGISTRARS REPORT

Meetings Held in 1946

Wednesday, January 23, 1946, at Town Hall, Registration of New Voters.

Wednesday, February 6th, 1946, at Beechwood Improvement Association Hall, Beechwood, Mass. Register New Voters and Certify names on nomination papers.

Wednesday, February 13th, 1946, North Cohasset, Fire Station to register new Voters and certify names on nomination papers.

Wednesday, February 20th, 1946, At Town Hall, Registration of New Voters and certify names on nomination papers.

Tuesday, April 2, 1946, At Town Hall, Certify names on nomination papers.

Tuesday, April 9th, 1946, At Town Hall, to receive papers for State Primaries.

Tuesday, April 16th, 1946, At Town Hall, Certify names on nomination papers.

Wednesday, May 1st, 1946, At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Wednesday, May 15th, 1946, At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Wednesday, May 29th, 1946, At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Wednesday, September 18th, 1946, At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Wednesday, October 2nd, 1946, At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Wednesday, October 16th, 1946. At Town Hall, To Register New Voters.

Six sessions of the Board of Registrars were held for the purpose of correcting the Voting Lists, during the Month of June 1946.

Total Registered Voters as of January 1st, 1946	2338
Total number of persons qualified and registered as Voters during 1946	327
Total	2665
Total number of names removed from the Voting Lists by reason of death, marriage, request and removal to other localities during 1946	430
Total Registered Voters as of January 1st, 1947	2235

Respectfully, submitted,

NORMAN CARD, Chairman
IRA N. PRATT,
EDWARD M. FLEMING,
WILLIAM H. MORRIS, Clerk,
Board of Registrars of Voters, Cohasset, Mass.

TOWN ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

For Year Ending December 31, 1946

January 23, 1947

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the
Citizens of Cohasset:

I herewith present my annual report in accordance with Section 61, of Chapter 41, of the Tercentenary Edition of the General Laws, for the year ending, December 31, 1946, showing in detail the appropriations, expenditures, and the receipts from each source of income. Also a recapitulation sheet and a balance sheet showing the assets and liabilities, and trust accounts. You will notice that the Town is now free of debt.

The records of permits and licenses issued by the Selectmen and other departments receiving money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined and checked, the reported payments to the Town Treasurer being compared with the Treasurer's recorded receipts, also the savings bank books and securities representing the investment of the several trust funds in custody of the Town Treasurer. I have further reconciled the accounts of the trusts funds in custody of the Trustees of the Cohasset Free Public Library and Paul Pratt Memorial Library.

I hereby certify that I have verified the Treasurer's cash, twice during the year, and reconciled the bank accounts each time, and found them correct, which is in accordance with Section 50 of Chapter 41, of the Tercentenary Edition of the General Laws.

You will also find at the end of the report detail payroll expenditures of each Department, together with a detailed report of the total expenditures of the School Department Maintenance and School Lunches. On page 59 you will find details of salary report of Paul Pratt Memorial Library.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all departments for their sincere cooperations this past year.

MALCOLM H. STEVENS,
Town Accountant

RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES, APPROPRIATIONS AND TABLES

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:		
Poll,	$ 1,798.00	
Personal,	24,142.48	
Real Estate,	246,796.31	
		$272,736.79
Previous Years:		
Personal,	$666.81	
Real Estate,	18,911.22	
		19,578.03

From State:			
Income,	$42,306.52		
Business Corporation Tax,	19,327.45		
		61,633.97	
Tax Title Redemptions,		142.45	
Total for Taxes			$354,091.24

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Beer, Wines, and Liquor,	$2,425.00	
Sunday,	8.00	
Pasteurization,	20.00	
Milk,	13.50	
Common Victualler,	14.00	
Gasoline Registration,	.50	
Revolver,	13.00	
Hackney and Hackney Operator,	24.50	
To Possess a Machine Gun,	.50	
Storing Inflammable Liquids,	6.00	
Junk,	42.00	
Inn Holder,	2.00	
Lodging House,	3.00	
Oleomargarine,	4.00	
Auctioneer,	4.00	
Purchase of Fire Arm,	1.00	
Sunday Amusement	72.00	
Sell, Rent, or Lease Fire Arms,	4.00	
Selling Second Hand Motor Vehicles,	30.00	
Machine Gun,	.50	
Camp,	.50	
Non-Beverage,	10.00	
Total for Licenses and Permits		$ 2,698.00

GRANTS AND GIFTS

Grants:			
From Federal Government:			
Old Age Assistance, Administration,	$350.36		
Old Age Assistance, Assistance	10,477.21		
Aid to Dependent Children, Administration,	54.58		
Aid to Dependent Children, Assistance	937.50		
School Lunches,	2,043.18		
Schools—Advance for the Purpose of Plan Preparation for Construction of a School Building,	5,000.00		
		$18,862.83	
From State:			
Distribution of Meal Tax,	$892.72		
Highway Fund, Chap. 569 Acts of 1943,	7,681.76		
		8,574.48	
From County:			
Dog Fund,		744.71	

Gift:			
From Individual,		200.00	
			$28,382.02
Total General Revenue			$385,171.26

Commercial Revenue

Privileges:			
1945 Motor Vehicle Excise,		$151.77	
1946 Motor Vehicle Excise,		5,622.93	
Total Commercial Revenue			$5,774.70

DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

General Government:			
Selectmen:			
Reimbursement, Telephone,		$52.22	
Town Accountant:			
Reimbursement, Telephone,		28.26	
Town Treasurer:			
Reimbursement, Telephone,	$51.10		
Tax Title Releases,	18.00		
		69.10	
Tax Collector:			
Costs:		67.95	
Town Clerk:			
Reimbursement, Telephone,		27.99	
Town Hall:			
Rental and Lights,		1,458.32	
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department:			
Damage Restitution,	$135.00		
Use of Ambulance,	65.00		
Reimbursement, Telephone,	1.07		
Sale of Old Materials,	45.00		
		246.07	
Fire Department:			
Refilling Fire Extinguishers,		51.20	
Sealing of Weights and Measures:			
Sealing Fees,		45.11	
Civilian Defense:			
Reimbursement, State Guard Uniforms		9.13	
Forest Fires:			
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Reimbursement,		60.04	

Board of Health, General:			
Board of Health:			
Contagious Diseases,		260.71	
Public Welfare:			
Department of Public Welfare:			
From State,	$716.72		
From Cities and Towns,	28.00		
From Individuals,	708.61		
		1,453.33	
Aid to Dependent Children:			
From State,		1,000.42	
Old Age Assistance:			
From State,	$11,677.56		
From Cities and Towns,	378.23		
From Recovery,	1,200.00		
		13,255.79	
Soldiers' Benefits:			
War Allowance,		113.00	
Schools:			
Tuitions,	$917.80		
Sale of Printing and Supplies	60.97		
Reimbursement, Telephones,	114.06		
Lights, Ripley Road School,	15.00		
Rental of Moving Picture Machine,	57.00		
Lunch Receipts,	6,740.63		
		$7,905.46	
North Cohasset Post Office Building:			
Rent,		158.00	
Municipal Garage:			
Unearned Insurance Premium,		14.73	
Town Commons and Parks:			
Sale of Second Hand Mower,		10.00	
Total Departmental Revenue			$26,286.83

UNCLASSIFIED REVENUE

Sale of Genealogies,	$20.00	
Sale of Real Estate,	100.00	
Total Unclassified Revenue		$120.00

CEMETERIES

Sale of Lots and Graves,	$428.15	
Care of Lots and Graves - General,	276.54	
Care of Lots and Graves - Perpetual,	119.69	
Total Cemetery Receipts		$824.38

INTEREST

Taxes:		
1945 Taxes,	$401.48	
1946 Taxes,	78.93	
	$480.41	
Tax Title Redemptions,	7.53	

Trust Funds, Parks:			
Wheelwright Park,	$300.00		
Wadleigh Park,	100.00		
Billings-Pratt and Robert Charles Billings,	43.00		
		443.00	
Beechwood Cemetery:			
Williams Lot,		1.50	
Cedar Street Cemetery,		15.45	
Post War Rehabilitation Fund:			
Treasury Bonds 51/53		200.00	
Total Interest Receipts			$1,147.89

AGENCY—TRUSTS

Agency:			
Dog Licenses,		$938.80	
Sale of Unlicensed Dog,		3.00	
Liquor License Advertising,		17.50	
Tax Title, Recordings, Fees, etc.		6.25	
State Share—Non-Beverage License		10.00	
Federal Withholding Tax Deductions,		14,997.15	
Blue Shield and Blue Cross Deductions,		1,810.60	
Trusts:			
Perpetual Care—Woodside Cemetery:			
Sherwood Ainslie—Lot 167 Section E	$100.00		
John S. Salvador—Lot 1 Section E	100.00		
Esther M. Thayer—Lot 51 Section F	100.00		
Mary C. Golden—Lot 26 Section E	75.00		
Elizabeth J. Dolan—Lot 160 Section E	100.00		
		475.00	
Perpetual Care—Private Cemetery:			
Charles A. Perkins, Cemetery Fund—Transfer,		100.00	
Refuse and Garbage Disposal Contract—Guarantee Deposit		100.00	
Arthur N. Milliken Recreation Fund—Transfer		204.00	
Total Agency and Trust Receipts			$18,662.30

REFUNDS

Tax Collector—Petty Cash,	$50.00	
Town Clerk,	11.15	
Board of Health, General Expenses,	40.00	
Old Age Assistance,	79.65	
School Department,	78.37	
Total Refunds,		$259.17
Total Receipts for 1946,		$438,246.53

RECAPITULATION OF RECEIPTS

General Revenue,	$385,171.26
Commercial Revenue,	5,774.70
Departmental Revenue,	26,286.83
Unclassified Revenue,	120.00

Cemeteries,	824.38
Interest,	1,147.89
Agencies and Trusts	18,662.30
Refunds,	259.17
Total Receipts for 1946,	$438,246.53
Cash Balance, January 1, 1946	139,427.54
	$577,674.07
Total Payments for 1946,	413,768.39
Cash Balance, January 1, 1947,	$163,905.68

EXPENDITURES

General Government

MODERATOR

Appropriation		126.50
Expenditure:		
Robert B. James, Salary,	$126.50	

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Appropriation		$350.00
Expenditures:		
Sanderson Brothers—Printing 2000 Finance Committee Reports,	$155.00	
Dues—Ass'n of Town Finance Committees,	10.00	
Stationery and Postage,	19.57	
Travel Expenses,	6.42	
Malcolm H. Stevens—Clerical Services,	35.00	
	$225.99	
Balance to Revenue	124.01	
	$350.00	

PLANNING BOARD

Appropriation		$200.00
Expenditures:		
Richard F. Lufkin Co.—Preparing Map of Cohasset	$75.00	
Dues—Mass. Federation of Planning Boards,	10.00	
Advertising,	2.50	
Blue-Printing,	6.64	
File Case,	6.95	
	$101.09	
Balance to Revenue	98.91	
	$200.00	

SELECTMEN — SALARIES

Appropriation		$1,518.00
Expenditures:		
Salaries:		
Darius W. Gilbert,	$379.50	
Fred A. Petersen,	41.58	
Charles A. Stegmaier,	614.99	
Ira B. P. Stoughton,	308.85	
Everett W. Wheelwright,	70.65	
	$1,415.57	
Balance to Revenue	102.43	
	$1,518.00	

SELECTMEN — EXPENSES

Appropriation		$929.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund		73.94
		$1,002.94
Expenditures:		
Charles A. Marks—Clerk, salary	$510.00	
Posting Warrants:		
Royal A. Bates	12.66	
Stationery and Postage	90.52	
Printing and Advertising	178.71	
Travel Expenses	15.06	
Telephone Services:		
Charles A. Stegmaier, res. (Reimbursed to Town)	26.15	
Ira B. P. Stoughton, res. (Reimbursed to Town)	19.53	
Dues—Norfolk County Selectmens' Ass'n	24.00	
Repairs to Typewriter,	17.50	
Electric Light service at Town Dump	3.00	
Honor Roll Expenses,	93.02	
Clam Signs,	7.00	
All Others,	3.00	
	$1,000.15	
Balance to Overlay Surplus	2.79	
	$1,002.94	

SELECTMEN — MISCELLANEOUS IMPROVEMENTS

Brought Forward from 1945			$1,265.81
Transfer from Reserve Fund			500.00
			$1,765.81
Expenditures:			
Town Commons, General:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$373.45		
Sharpening and Repairing Mowers,	5.50		
		$378.95	

Small Parks:		
Billings-Pratt Park:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	25.29	
Depot Court Park:		
Labor (For detail see end of report)	117.09	
Small Parks at Cove:		
Labor (For detail see end of report)	227.88	
		370.26
Beechwood Ball Field:		
Labor (For detail see end of report)	$164.54	
Sharpening and Repairing Mowers,	25.95	
Gasoline and Oil for Mower,	4.45	
Bases and Home Plate,	20.37	
Supplies,	8.75	
Jacobsen Power Mower,	250.00	
		474.06
Parking Place Maintenance:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		14.22
Guild Hall Building:		
Labor(For detail, see end of report)		12.66
Beechwood School Building:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		12.66
Tree Warden:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$454.39	
Equipment and Supplies,	8.16	
Maintenance of Truck,	32.79	
		495.34
		$1,758.15
Balance to Overlay Surplus		7.66
		$1,765.81

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Appropriation		$3,041.00
Expenditures:		
Town Accountant—Malcolm H. Stevens, Salary,	$2,800.00	
Expenses:		
Charles A. Marks—Clerk, Salary	100.00	
Stationery and Postage,	54.84	
Telephone (Reimbursed to Town)	28.26	
Travel Expenses,	9.79	
Dues—Municipal Finance Officers Ass'n,	10.00	

Repairs to Typewriter		17.75	
Binding Ledgers,		20.25	
		$3,040.89	
Balance to Revenue		.11	
		$3,041.00	

TOWN TREASURER — SALARY

Appropriation			$2,200.00
Expenditure:			
Salary:			
Maurice R. Noonan—Town Treasurer,		$2,200.00	

TOWN TREASURER — EXPENSES

Appropriation			$911.00
Expenditure:			
Clerk—Charles A. Marks, services,	$29.25		
Clerk—Lincoln D. Wright, services,	16.00		
		45.25	
Stationery and Postage,		181.45	
Printing and Office Supplies,		113.09	
Travel Expenses,		56.98	
Telephone (Reimbursed to Town)		51.10	
Surety Bonds,		226.50	
Dues:			
Mass. Collectors' and Treasurers' Ass'n,	1.00		
Municipal Finance Officers' Ass'n,	10.00		
		11.00	
Bank, Burglary and Robbery Insurance,		57.30	
Maintenance Service of Adding Machine,		9.79	
Repairs to Typewriter,		2.25	
Recording, Tax Title Affidavit,		2.39	
		$757.10	
Balance to Revenue		153.90	
		$911.00	

TAX COLLECTOR — SALARY

Appropriation			$2,200.00
Expenditure:			
Salary:			
Eleanor T. Downs, Tax Collector,		$2,200.00	

TAX COLLECTOR — EXPENSES

Appropriation			$1,280.00
Appropriation from Excess and Deficiency, Special Town Meeting, September 13, 1946,			150.00

Transfer from Reserve Fund,			70.00
Refund—Petty Cash			50.00
			$1,550.00
Expenditures:			
Charles A. Marks—Clerk, and Deputy Collector, services,	$204.92		
William C. Gregory—Deputy Collector, services,	15.00		
Frances Downs—Deputy Collector, services,	297.50		
Mary E. Brennock—Clerk, services,	60.15		
		$577.57	
Stationery and Postage,		196.62	
Printing and Advertising,		168.58	
Bonds:			
Tax Collector,	$296.25		
Deputy Collectors,	15.00		
		311.25	
Travel Expenses,		111.09	
Robbery Insurance,		27.70	
Petty Cash,		50.00	
Maintenance Service of Adding Machine,		21.24	
Post Office Box Rent,		2.40	
Dues—Mass. Collectors' and Treasurer's Ass'n		2.00	
Tax Titles, Recordings, Takings, etc.		21.14	
		$1,489.59	
Balance to Overlay Surplus,		60.41	
		$1,550.00	

ASSESSORS — SALARIES

Appropriation		$3,270.50
Expenditures:		
Salaries:		
Darius W. Gilbert,	$1,752.50	
Fred A. Petersen,	41.58	
Charles A. Stegmaier,	617.63	
Ira B. P. Stoughton,	617.63	
Everett W. Wheelwright,	141.37	
	$3,170.71	
Balance to Revenue,	99.79	
	$3,270.50	

ASSESSORS — EXPENSES

Appropriation		$1,420.80
Expenditures:		
Clerk—Charles A. Marks, Salary,	$1,020.00	
Travel Expenses,	48.33	

Photostatic Copies of Transfers,		100.05	
Stationery and Postage,		179.52	
Binding Books,		10.26	
Maintenance Service of Adding Machine,		5.39	
Appraisal Services—William A. Gardner,		25.00	
Repairing and Cleaning Typewriter,		2.25	
Bankers & Tradesman—Subscription,		14.00	
Dues:			
National Ass'n of Assessing Officers,	10.00		
Ass'n of Massachusetts Assessors,	6.00		
		16.00	
		$1,420.80	

OTHER FINANCE OFFICES AND ACCOUNTS
CERTIFICATION OF NOTES

Appropriation		$10.00
No Expenditure—Balance to Revenue,	$10.00	

LAW AND LEGAL COUNSEL

Appropriation		$1,581.25
Expenditures:		
Town Counsel—Frederick A. Thayer, services,	$1,486.06	
Telephone—Frederick A. Thayer's residence,	95.19	
	$1,581.25	

TOWN CLERK — SALARY

Appropriation		1,138.50
Expenditure:		
Salary:		
William H. Morris—Town Clerk,	$1,138.50	

TOWN CLERK — EXPENSES

Appropriation			$787.50
Transfer from Reserve Fund,			21.42
Refund,			11.15
			$820.07
Expenditures:			
Charles A. Marks—Clerk, service,	$276.00		
Margaret McNamara—Clerk, services,	25.35		
		$301.35	
Recording fees—Births, Deaths and Marriages,		365.00	
Administering Oaths,		46.25	
Stationery and Postage,		36.53	
Telephone (Reimbursed to Town)		27.99	
Surety Bonds		12.50	
Travel Expenses		23.80	

Repairs to Typewriter		1.50	
Dues—Mass. Town Clerks' Ass'n,		3.00	
		$817.92	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		2.15	
		$820.07	

ELECTIONS, REGISTRATIONS, AND TOWN MEETINGS

Appropriation			$2,006.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			232.42
			$2,238.42
Expenditures:			
Election Officers (For detail, see end of report)		$775.50	
Registrars' Salaries:			
Norman Card	$126.50		
Edward M. Fleming,	126.50		
Ira N. Pratt,	126.50		
William H. Morris, Clerk ex-officio,	126.50		
		506.00	
Expenses:			
Posting Warrants—Royal A. Bates,		$12.66	
Stationery and Postage,		89.81	
Printing and Advertising,		577.92	
Meals,		105.35	
Travel Expenses,		16.93	
Rental of Chairs at Annual Town Meeting,		66.50	
Janitor services:			
William H. McArthur,	$10.00		
Harry O. Wood,	10.00		
		20.00	
Repairing and Setting up Voting Booths,		48.86	
Electrical Repairs to Voting Booths,		12.89	
Trucking Election Material,		6.00	
		$2,238.42	

ENGINEERING — MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$300.00
Expenditures:		
William H. Taft–Services, Changing Assessors' Plan,	$171.00	
Blue-Printing,	15.43	
Lewis W. Perkins—Engineering,	35.00	
	$221.43	
Balance to Revenue	78.57	
	$300.00	

ENGINEERING — OUTLAY

Appropriation			$150.00
Expenditure:			
Lewis W. Perkins—Engineering,		$15.75	
Balance to Revenue		134.25	
		$150.00	

TOWN HALL

Appropriation			$5,932.25
Transfer from Reserve Fund			737.64
			$6,669.89
Expenses:			
Custodians:			
Alfred M. Silvia—Salary,	$2,300.00		
William B. Silvia—services,	25.00		
Joseph Laugelli—services,	6.33		
		$2,331.33	
Fuel,		905.70	
Lights,		628.19	
Janitor Supplies,		271.61	
Repairs,		1,100.09	
Insurance,		814.12	
Liability Insurance,		31.00	
Water and Ice,		26.10	
Carting Ashes and Rubbish,		78.50	
Telephones:			
General—Coh. 0354	$330.16		
Treasurer's Office—Coh. 0341	61.29		
Tax Collector's Office—Coh. 0611	61.64		
Custodian's residence—Alfred M. Silvia's residence	23.16		
		476.25	
Printing,		4.75	
		$6,667.64	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		2.25	
		$6,669.89	

TOWN HALL — INCLUDING HEATING AND OTHER PURPOSES

Transfer from W. P. A. Account Article 38, Annual Town Meeting, March 2, 1946		$3,284.02
Expenditures:		
Repairs,	$678.01	
Buerkel & Company, Inc.,—Engineering services,	180.00	
Advertising,	6.00	
Heating Contract—On account,	1,000.00	
	$1,864.01	

Balance Carried Forward to 1947		1,420.01	
		$3,284.02	

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation			$24,000.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			636.02
			$24,636.02
Expenditures:			
Salaries:			
Chief, Hector J. Pelletier,	$3,400.00		
Sergeant, Benjamin F. Curley,	2,106.55		
Patrolmen:			
James J. Sullivan,	2,500.00		
Benjamin F. Curley,	549.32		
John J. Rooney,	2,500.00		
Thomas B. Kane,	2,500.00		
Louis J. Simeone,	2,500.00		
Randolph A. Feola	735.76		
Special Police:			
Ralph S. Enos,	67.22		
Frank E. Jason,	648.81		
Herbert E. Morse,	154.21		
Frank J. Migliaccio,	748.08		
Frederick W. Sullivan,	11.85		
George D. Carpenter,	16.60		
Randolph A. Feola,	735.48		
Edwin P. Petersen,	55.37		
John T. Keating,	2.37		
John J. Ferreira,	4.74		
Austin L. Ahearn, Jr.	9.49		
		$19,245.85	
Equipment Maintenance:			
Equipment for Men,	$419.94		
Radio Repairs and Equipment,	449.93		
		869.87	
Fuel,		252.35	
Lights,		176.60	
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:			
Repairs,	$620.85		
Janitor Supplies,	53.79		
Insurance,	58.08		
American Flags,	23.00		
		755.72	
Stationery, Postage, and Printing,		139.76	
Advertising Traffic Rules,		107.00	
Telephones:			
Headquarters—Coh. 0372,	$160.75		
Box—Coh. 0700,	57.60		

Box—Coh. 0703,	56.89	
Chief's Residence—Coh. 0060,	76.69	
		351.93
Chief's Expenses,		50.60
Dues:		
New England Police Revolver League,	$11.00	
Mass. Chiefs of Police Ass'n,	3.00	
International Ass'n Chief of Police,	10.00	
		24.00
Repairs to Typewriters,		18.00
Meals for Prisoners,		27.30
Medical Service to Prisoner,		3.00
Express on Stolen Property,		2.50
Ammunition,		.65
Maintenance of Automobiles:		
Police Cars:		
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-Freeze,	$774.39	
Repairs and Equipment,	717.39	
Tires, Tubes, and Chains,	180.58	
Batteries,	89.83	
Insurance,	271.20	
		2,033.39
Ambulance:		
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-Freeze,	$10.15	
Repairs and Equipment,	62.40	
Insurance,	159.09	
Laundry Work,	43.25	
Battery,	18.15	
		293.04
Beacons:		
Light Service,	$133.59	
Electrical Repairs to Beacons,	70.45	
Traffic Signs and Repairs,	80.00	
		284.04
		$24,635.60
Balance to Overlay Surplus		.42
		$24,636.02

FIRE AND POLICE STATIONS COMMITTEE

Brought Forward From 1945		$1,946.90
Expenditures:		
Edgar T. P. Walker—Architectural services,	$1,350.00	
Stationery and Postage,	84.00	
Printing and Blue-Printing,	213.57	
Clerk—Charles A. Marks, services,	10.00	
	$1,657.57	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	289.33	
	$1,946.90	

POLICE DEPARTMENT — PURCHASE OF A POLICE CAR

Appropriation			$1,000.00
Expenditure:			
Super X Fordor Model 69A		$850.00	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947		150.00	
		$1,000.00	

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation			$29,763.88
Expenditures:			
Salaries:			
Chief, Joseph L. Oliver,	$2,950.00		
Deputy Chief, Clarence S. Reddy,	875.00		
		$3,825.00	
Drivers:			
Lot E. Bates,	$2,500.00		
Frederick N. Edwards,	1,440.28		
James B. Mathewson,	2,500.00		
James Happenny,	1,425.00		
Cornelius J. O'Brien,	1,634.74		
Charles C. Philbrook,	2,500.00		
C. W. Barron Salvador,	2,500.00		
Ellery C. S. Sidney,	2,500.00		
Walter C. Wheelwright, Jr.,	1,440.28		
		18,440.30	
Relief Drivers: (For detail, see end of report)		3.95	
Call Men (Paid on percentage basis) (For detail, see end of report)		4,075.00	
Watchers after Fires, (For detail, see end of report)		14.22	
Other Employees, (For detail, see end of report)		57.00	
Equipment:			
Equipment for Men,	$45.18		
Apparatus,	190.10		
		235.28	
Maintenance of Trucks:			
Repairs,	$598.43		
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-freeze,	301.51		
Tires, Tubes, Chains,	133.97		
Batteries,	41.65		
Insurance,	225.28		
Battery Charger,	39.50		
		1,340.34	
Fuel,		613.93	
Lights,		372.43	
Gas,		61.74	
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:			
Repairs,	$57.24		

House Supplies and Furnishings,	158.90	
Laundry,	59.91	
Insurance,	35.03	
		311.08
Telephones:		
Central Station, Coh. 0260,	$80.11	
Central Station, Coh. 0214,	70.65	
Engine No. 2 Station, Coh. 0054-R,	28.80	
Engine No. 2 Station, Coh. 0054-W,	44.39	
Engine No. 3, Station, Coh. 0582,	56.06	
Chief's residence, Coh. 0417-M,	43.96	
		323.97
Other Expenses:		
Stationery, Postage, and Printing,		11.70
Chief's Expenses,		34.84
Firemen's Injuries,		14.00
Dues:		
National Fire Protection Ass'n,	$10.00	
Fire Engineering,	4.00	
		14.00
		$29,748.78
Balance to Revenue		15.10
		$29,763.88

FIRE ALARM

Appropriation			$2,402.73
Expenditures:			
Fire Alarm and Signal Operator—Herbert Williams, Sr., Salary		$1,612.00	
Labor,		245.97	
(For detail, see end of report)			
Telephone—Herbert Williams, Sr's. residence,		29.72	
Tools, Supplies, and Repairs,		56.34	
Electrical Supplies,		104.49	
Insurance, Employers' Liability on $300		45.87	
Dues:			
International Municipal Signal Ass'n,	$5.00		
New England Ass'n of Fire Chiefs,	6.00		
		11.00	
Equipment for Men,		40.00	
Maintenance of Truck:			
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-Freeze,	$45.23		
Repairs,	9.35		
Rent of Garage,	60.00		
Tires, Tubes, Chains,	57.90		
Insurance,	56.00		
Battery,	14.95		
		243.43	
		$2,388.82	

Balance to Revenue		13.91	
		$2,402.73	

FIRE DEPARTMENT—PURCHASE OF AERIAL LADDER TRUCK

Brought Forward from 1945			$15,500.00
No Expenditure, Carried Forward to 1947		$15,500.00	

HYDRANT SERVICE, ETC.

Appropriation			$10,200.00
Expenditures:			
Cohasset Water Co.—Service,		$9,256.25	
Hingham Water Co.—Service,		900.00	
		$10,156.25	
Balance to Revenue		43.75	
		$10,200.00	

HYDRANT RENTAL — LAMBERT'S LANE

Brought Forward from 1945			$75.00
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947		$75.00	

HYDRANT RENTAL — CEDAR STREET

Brought Forward from 1945			$75.00
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947		$75.00	

HYDRANT RENTALS — KING STREET AND CHIEF JUSTICE CUSHING HIGHWAY

Brought Forward from 1945			$225.00
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947		$225.00	

INSPECTION OF WIRES

Appropriation			$794.00
Expenditures:			
Inspector—Herbert Williams, Sr., salary,		$749.00	
Travel Expenses,		25.00	
		$774.00	
Balance to Revenue		20.00	
		$794.00	

SEALING OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriation			$518.91
Expenditures:			
Sealer—Ira B. P. Stoughton, salary,	$59.75		
Sealer—Reginald R. Beal, salary,	256.50		
		$316.25	

Travel Expenses,		80.00	
Insurance on Equipment,		52.90	
Storage on Tank,		10.00	
Equipment and Supplies,		21.25	
Stationery and Postage,		7.60	
Telephones:			
Ira B. P. Stoughton's residence,	$6.51		
Reginald R. Beal's residence,	16.84		
		23.35	
		$511.35	
Balance to Revenue		7.56	
		$518.91	

INSECT PEST EXTERMINATION, MOTH SUPPRESSION

Appropriation			$5,712.34
Transfer from Reserve Fund			175.00
			$5,887.34
Expenditures:			
Superintendent—Roscoe G. Pratt, services	$1,119.10		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	3,182.97		
		$4,302.07	
Expenses:			
Printing,		10.90	
Insecticides:			
2016 lbs. Arsenate of Lead,	$241.92		
Farmite,	40.09		
All Other,	52.48		
		334.49	
Maintenance of Truck:			
Gasoline and Oil, Anti-freeze,	153.20		
Repairs,	158.49		
Public Liability Insurance,	29.50		
Number Plates	2.00		
		343.19	
Hose:			
200 feet—1 in. special spray hose,	$156.80		
500 feet—¾ in. special spray hose,	271.47		
400 feet—½ in. special spray hose,	156.80		
		585.07	
Hardware and Tools,		263.40	
Insurance, Employers Liability on $2,000		48.08	
		$5,887.20	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		.14	
		$5,887.34	

MOTH SUPPRESSION — PURCHASE OF SPRAYING MACHINE

Brought Forward from 1945		$868.00
Expenditure:		
1-Model EXCX Sprayer with 300 Gallon Tank and Model VF-4 Wisconsin Motor	$868.00	

TREE WARDEN GENERAL — SALARY

Appropriation		$632.50
Expenditure:		
Salary:		
Roscoe G. Pratt—Tree Warden,	$632.50	

TREE WARDEN GENERAL — EXPENSES

Appropriation			$2,664.63
Transfer from Reserve Fund			136.00
			$2,800.63
Expenditures:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		$2,014.06	
Telephone—Roscoe G. Pratt's residence,		43.51	
Post Office Box Rent,		1.20	
1—Second Hand Typewriter,		32.50	
Hardware and Equipment,		273.64	
Maintenance of Truck:			
Gasoline, Oil, Anti-freeze,	$114.77		
Repairs,	97.80		
Insurance — Property, Liability and Theft,	58.00		
Rent of Garage,	60.00		
		330.57	
Weed Killer,		42.10	
Lumber,		14.50	
Insurance—Employers Liability on $2,000		48.08	
		$2,800.16	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		.47	
		$2,800.63	

TREE WARDEN — SPECIAL CLEARING TREES FOR FIRE ALARM

Appropriation			$367.64
Expenditures:			
Superintendent—Roscoe G. Pratt, services,	$131.10		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	205.70		
		$336.80	
Repairs to Equipment,		3.75	

Insurance—Liability Insurance		17.50	
Gasoline and Oil for Truck		8.54	
		$366.59	
Balance to Revenue		1.05	
		$367.64	

FOREST FIRES

Appropriation			$1,135.00
Expenditures:			
Forest Warden—Joseph L. Oliver, salary	$150.00		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	534.08		
		$684.08	
Maintenance of Truck:			
Gasoline, Oil and Anti-freeze,	$34.12		
Repairs,	138.40		
Insurance—Fire and Theft,	4.37		
Batteries,	39.00		
Repairs to Pump,	53.21		
Tires and Tubes,	17.27		
		286.37	
Travel Expenses,		4.25	
Janitor Supplies		12.75	
Equipment:			
Apparatus,	$54.02		
Hose,	88.69		
		142.71	
		$1,130.16	
Balance to Revenue		4.84	
		$1,135.00	

BOUNTIES

Appropriation		$25.00
No Expenditures, Balance to Revenue	$25.00	

SHELL FISH CULTIVATION

Brought Forward from 1945		$400.00
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$400.00	

COHASSET STATE GUARD UNIT

Appropriation		$100.00
Expenditures:		
Custodian:		
William McArthur, services,	$35.00	
Town of Hingham—Use of Rifle Range,	17.00	
	$52.00	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	48.00	
	$100.00	

BOARD OF HEALTH GENERAL — SALARIES

Appropriation			$759.00
Expenditures:			
Salaries:			
Abraham J. Antoine, Jr.		$47.11	
N. M. Hurwitz,		253.00	
Fred W. Sullivan,		205.89	
Edward E. Tower,		253.00	
		$759.00	

BOARD OF HEALTH GENERAL — EXPENSES

Appropriation			$1,836.00
Refunds			40.00
			$1,876.00
Expenditures:			
Stationery and Postage,		$13.75	
Printing and Advertising,		17.00	
Telephones:			
N. M. Hurwitz's residence,	$48.00		
Abraham J. Antoine, Jr.'s, residence	7.00		
Edward E. Tower's residence,	36.00		
Fred W. Sullivan's residence,	30.00		
		121.00	
Travel and Transportation,		135.00	
Baby Clinic:			
Stewart H. Clifford, M. D., services,	$420.00		
Laundry and Supplies,	20.00		
		440.00	
Contagious Diseases:			
Hospitals,	$912.50		
Supplies,	2.45		
		914.95	
Burying Animals,		5.25	
Storing Serum,		25.00	
Immunization Clinic,		123.72	
Disinfectants,		8.77	
		$1,804.44	
Balance to Revenue		71.56	
		$1,876.00	

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL — BRAINTREE

Appropriation from Revenue of 1946		$2,879.95
Expenditure:		
Treasurer of Norfolk County,	$2,879.95	

INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN
DENTAL DISPENSARY

Appropriation		$1,465.00
Expenditures:		
Dentist—William G. Matheson, Jr., salary	$1,265.00	
Dental Supplies,	192.95	
Printing,	7.00	
	$1,464.95	
Balance to Revenue	.05	
	$1,465.00	

DISTRICT NURSE

Appropriation		$1,540.00
Expenditures:		
Mrs. Rosemary MacIsaacs, R. N., services,	$384.96	
Mrs. Olive Wheeler, R. N., services,	1,155.04	
	$1,540.00	

OXYGEN, SUPPLIES, ETC.

Appropriation		$200.00
Expenditures:		
Supplies and Express,	$199.47	
Balance to Revenue	.53	
	$200.00	

INSPECTION OF ANIMALS

Appropriation		$115.00
Expenditure:		
Inspector—Darius W. Gilbert, V. S., salary	$115.00	

INSPECTION OF SLAUGHTERING

Appropriation		$100.00
Expenditure:		
Inspector—Darius W. Gilbert, V. S., salary	$100.00	

INSPECTION OF MILK AND VINEGAR

Appropriation		$208.13
Expenditures:		
Milk Inspector—Charles E. Frates, salary	$158.13	
Travel Expenses,	20.00	
Chemical Analysis—Rita Clark,	11.00	
	$189.13	
Balance to Revenue	19.00	
	$208.13	

REFUSE AND GARBAGE DISPOSAL — TOWN DUMP

Appropriation			$2,367.00
Expenditures:			
Superintendent—Charles R. Stoddard, salary,		$1,716.00	
Vacation Period—George T. Bowser, services,		66.00	
Telephone—Charles R. Stoddard's residence,		21.43	
Insurance—Employers Liability on $1,500.		54.02	
Maintenance of Truck:			
Gasoline, Oil, and Anti-freeze,	$110.60		
Repairs,	88.99		
Registration Plates,	2.00		
Insurance,	36.25		
Tires, Tubes, and Chains,	3.94		
		241.78	
Electric Service for Pump,		12.18	
Equipment and Supplies,		1.07	
H. R.—2″ Portable Pump,		250.02	
		$2,362.50	
Balance to Revenue		4.50	
		$2,367.00	

TOWN DUMP — INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Appropriation		$100.00
Expenditures:		
Plumbing Repairs,	29.82	
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	69.66	
	$99.48	
Balance to Revenue	.52	
	$100.00	

REFUSE AND GARBAGE DISPOSAL — CONTRACT

Brought Forward from 1945		$3,275.70
Expenditures:		
Contract Balance—Louis E. Salvador,	$2,625.70	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	650.00	
	$3,275.70	

CARE OF BROOKS AND STREAMS, DRAINING OF PONDS, JAMES BROOK, STRAITS POND, CAT DAM, ETC.

Appropriation		$1,588.92
Expenditures:		
James Brook:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$546.72	
Carlos A. Tanger—Care of Gates,	94.88	

Insurance—Employers' Liability on $1,500.	61.83		
Repairs to Gates,	115.00		
Lumber,	51.84		
Storage on Equipment,	10.00		
Hardware Supplies,	14.44		
		$894.71	
Atlantic Avenue and Treat's Pond:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		91.78	
Straits Pond:			
Fitzpatrick and Happenny, Care of Gates,	$189.75		
Repairs to Gates,	22.60		
		212.35	
Cat Dam:			
Thomas S. Brown—Care of Gates,		94.88	
Beechwood Street:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		37.98	
Care of Other Gates and Streams:			
Spring and Main Street—Frank J. Migliaccio,	$12.66		
Pleasant Street, Coal Shed—William E. Tilden,	31.63		
Treat's Pond—Abraham J. Antoine, Jr.	31.63		
Margin Street — Ellery C. S. Sidney,	31.63		
Valine's Meadow—Charles R. Jason,	25.00		
Bound Brook Fishway—Bernard J. Salvador,	50.00		
Off Atlantic Avenue—Joseph Barrow,	50.00		
		232.55	
Travel Expenses,		18.00	
		$1,582.25	
Balance to Revenue		6.67	
		$1,588.92	

ERADICATION OF MOSQUITOES

Appropriation		$500.00
Expenditure:		
Comm. of Mass. — State Reclamation Board,	$500.00	

HIGHWAYS GENERAL — SALARY

Appropriation		$3,200.00
Expenditure:		
Highway Surveyor—William T. Barnes, salary,	$3,200.00	

HIGHWAYS, GENERAL MAINTENANCE INCLUDING TARRING STREETS

Appropriation			$27,304.00
Expenditures:			
Pay Rolls (For detail, see end of report)			
Labor,	$10,501.24		
Trucks, Tractors, and Bull-dozers,	2,755.90		
		$13,257.14	
Broken Stone,		830.15	
Equipment and Repairs,		892.33	
Tarvia and Bituminous Concrete:			
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.:			
28,858 gallons Tar	3,733.06		
Bradford Weston Inc.:			
2229.3 Tons Bituminous Concrete,	1,423.09		
1250 Sq. Yds. Bituminous Concrete Pavement,	1,250.00		
		6,406.15	
Florist Work on Small Parks, etc.		10.00	
Drilling and Blasting,		75.00	
Maintenance of Trucks:			
Gasoline, Oil, and Anti-freeze,	$1,300.90		
Repairs,	1,733.53		
Tires, Tubes, and Chains,	967.94		
Batteries,	24.95		
Insurance,	158.62		
Registration Plates,	12.00		
		4,197.94	
Insurance–Employers' Liability Insurance on $18,500		648.50	
Telephone—William T. Barnes' residence,		45.10	
Electric Light Service,		7.81	
Cement, Lime, and Culverts,		222.51	
Lumber,		130.10	
Paint and Oil,		256.65	
Loam,		91.13	
Sand and Gravel,		233.27	
		$27,303.78	
Balance to Revenue		.22	
		$27,304.00	

HIGHWAYS GENERAL — NEW TRUCK

Appropriation		$800.00
Expenditure:		
1946 Ford Pickup, Model 69C,	$800.00	

HIGHWAYS — SNOW AND ICE REMOVAL — SANDING STREETS

Appropriation			$12,000.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			373.77
			$12,373.77
Expenditures:			
Pay Rolls: (For detail, see end of report)			
Labor,	$4,829.47		
Trucks, Tractors, and Teams,	3,298.04		
		$8,127.51	
Plows:			
New Plows and Equipment,	$202.00		
Repairs to Plows,	259.65		
		461.65	
Equipment and Repairs,		494.61	
Hydraulic Loader Complete,		385.00	
Sand Spreader,		185.00	
Lumber,		36.28	
Snow Fences,		75.00	
Fuel.		122.55	
Sand,		140.04	
Maintenance of Trucks and Tractor:			
Gasoline, Oil, and Anti-freeze,	$470.50		
Repairs,	1,308.70		
Chains, Tires, and Tubes,	281.26		
Batteries,	65.35		
		2,125.81	
Insurance—Employers' Liability on $8,000		220.32	
		$12,373.77	

HIGHWAYS — STREET LIGHTING

Appropriation		$9,300.00
Expenditure:		
Brockton Edison Co.—For Street Lighting including 412-100 Cp., 21-250 Cp., 25-600 Cp., Semi-Orna. 2-600 Cp., White Way 1-100 Watt. 2-250 Cp. Semi-Orna., 1-400 Cp., Semi-Orna., 3-300 Watt Flood-lights,	$9,135.56	
Beacons, Corners of Route 3A - Sohier and Beechwood Streets	46.01	
	$9,181.57	
Balance to Revenue	118.43	
	$9,300.00	

MAINTENANCE OF LIGHT — LAMBERT'S LANE

Appropriation		$58.00
Expenditure:		
Brockton Edison Company, Light Service,	$4.84	

Balance Carried Forward to 1947	53.16	
	$58.00	

HIGHWAYS — STREET SIGNS, FOUNTAINS AND HIGHWAYS UNDER SELECTMEN

Appropriation		$200.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund		78.38
		$278.38
Expenditures:		
Street Signs:		
Labor—Clarence P. Silvia, services,	$60.75	
Equipment and Supplies,	81.18	
Repairs,	133.95	
	$275.88	
Balance to Overlay Surplus	2.50	
	$278.38	

HIGHWAYS — HARBOR MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$1,634.75
Expenditures:		
Harbor Master—Edward J. Antoine, salary,	$126.50	
Assistant Harbor Master—Joseph P. Figueiredo,	43.99	
Assistant Harbor Mastor—Bernard J. Salvador,	15.07	
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	1,056.94	
Equipment and Supplies,	93.17	
Repairs to Equipment,	109.63	
Barrels,	56.00	
Paint and Oil,	65.50	
Lumber,	32.90	
Insurance—Employers' Liability on $1,200	32.40	
	$1,632.10	
Balance to Revenue	2.65	
	$1,634.75	

HIGHWAYS — HARBOR DREDGING

Brought Forward from 1945		$15,000.00
No Expenditure—Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$15,000.00	

PUBLIC WELFARE — GENERAL ADMINISTRATION — SALARIES

Appropriation		$1,265.00
Expenditures:		
Salaries:		
Darius W. Gilbert,	$253.00	
A. Fred Petersen,	13.86	

Charles L. Stegmaier,	205.01	
Ira B. P. Stoughton,	617.63	
Everett W. Wheelwright,	141.37	
	$1,230.87	
Balance to Revenue	34.13	
	$1,265.00	

PUBLIC WELFARE — GENERAL ADMINISTRATION — EXPENSES

Appropriation		$400.00
Expenditures:		
Welfare Agent—Mary E. Oliver, salary	$221.50	
Stationery and Postage,	27.49	
Travel Expenses,	57.02	
1946 Social Service Index,	10.50	
Dues—Mass. Ass'n of Relief Officers,	2.00	
Dues—Welfare Agents' Ass'n of Mass.,	1.00	
Cleaning and Repairing Typewriter,	1.25	
	$320.76	
Balance to Revenue	79.24	
	$400.00	

PUBLIC WELFARE — ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$5,000.00
Expenditures:		
Groceries and Provisions,	$150.14	
Fuel and Oil,	63.14	
Board and Care,	867.00	
Medicine and Medical Attendance,	174.15	
State Institutions,	324.00	
Cash Grants to Individuals,	1,136.75	
Relief—Other Cities and Towns,	13.84	
Shoes and Clothing,	72.98	
Funeral,	190.00	
	$2,992.00	
Balance to Revenue	2,008.00	
	$5,000.00	

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE — ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation		$1,640.00
Receipts from Federal Government		350.36
		$1,990.36
Expenditures:		
Welfare Agent—Mary E. Oliver, salary	$1,525.00	

Stationery, Postage, and Printing,	73.52	
Traveling Expenses	45.75	
	$1,644.27	
Balance to Revenue	346.09	
	$1,990.36	

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE — ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$20,000.00
Receipts from Federal Government		10,477.21
Refunds		79.65
		$30,556.86
Expenditures:		
Cash Grants to Individuals,	$28,352.94	
Relief—Other Cities and Towns,	155.28	
	$28,508.22	
Balance to Revenue	2,048.64	
	$30,556.86	

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN — ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation		$270.00
Receipts from Federal Government		54.58
		$324.58
Expenditures:		
Welfare Agent—Mary E. Oliver, salary,	$221.50	
Traveling Expenses,	19.65	
	$241.15	
Balance to Revenue	83.43	
	$324.58	

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN — ASSISTANCE

Appropriation		$5,000.00
Receipts from Federal Government		937.50
		$5,937.50
Expenditures:		
Cash Grants to Individuals,	$4,075.80	
Balance to Revenue	1,861.70	
	$5,937.50	

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Appropriation	$2,500.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund	250.00
	$2,750.00

Expenditures:		
Director—Edward A. Mulvey, salary,	$208.38	
Clerk—Marguerite Barrett, salary,	520.00	
Stationery and Printing,	5.75	
Travel Expenses,	1.40	
Cash Grants to Individuals,	180.00	
	$915.53	
Balance to Overlay Surplus	250.00	
Balance to Revenue	1,584.47	
	$2,750.00	

Schools and Libraries

SCHOOLS — GENERAL MAINTENANCE

Appropriation			$93,255.29
Dog Fund, Voted by Town			744.71
Appropriated from Excess and Deficiency at Special Town Meeting, September 13, 1946			2,500.00
Refund			78.37
			$96,578,37
Expenditures: (For detail, see end of report)			
School Committee Expenses:			
Financial Secretary, salary,	$115.00		
Supplies,	2.52		
Advertising,	3.00		
		$120.52	
General:			
Superintendent, Salaries,	$2,371.90		
Clerical Work,	1,227.16		
Attendance Officer, salary,	100.00		
Printing, Postage and Stationery,	45.88		
Traveling Expenses,	118.66		
Superintendent Expenses,	27.00		
Out of State Travel,	94.72		
		3,985.32	
Telephone:			
Osgood School, Coh. 0290	$134.06		
Ripley Road School, Coh. 0540	82.00		
Harry O. Wood's residence, Coh. 0471-R (Reimbursed to Town)	25.24		
John S. Sladen's residence, Coh. 0653-W (Reimbursed to Town)	25.34		
William Ripley, Jr.'s. residence, Coh. 0232 (Reimbursed to Town)	74.82		
		341.46	
Teachers' Salaries:			
High,	$23,258.42		
Elementary,	39,641.83		
		62,900.25	

Text and Reference Books:		
High,	$463.70	
Elementary,	695.47	
		1,159.17
Supplies, including Heat for Cooking:		
High,	$2,367.04	
Elementary,	2,230.84	
		4,597.88
Transportation:		
High,	$2,284.37	
Elementary,	3,879.16	
		6,163.53
Janitor Services:		
High,	$1,366.89	
Elementary,	4,583.39	
		5,950.28
Lights:		
High,	$201.27	
Elementary,	392.35	
		593.62
Fuel:		
High,	$591.42	
Elementary,	952.23	
		1,543.65
Repairs:		
High,	$1,445.66	
Elementary,	2,567.51	
		4,013.17
Janitor Supplies:		
High,	$191.30	
Elementary,	625.60	
		816.90
Grounds:		
High,	$33.50	
Elementary,	63.03	
		96.53
Furniture and Furnishings:		
High,	$68.09	
Elementary,	62.21	
		130.30
New Equipment,		191.29
Diplomas and Graduation,		175.91
Insurance,		1,085.96
Insurance—Employers' Liability on $3,000		51.46
Cartage,		56.37
Health,		1,595.22
Tuition—Trade Schools, Vocational,		967.72
		$96,536.51
Balance to Revenue		41.86
		$96,578.37

SCHOOLS — LUNCHES

Appropriation		$9,000.00
Receipts from Federal Government		2,043.18
		$11,043.18
Expenditures:		
Salaries (For detail, see end of report)	$2,965.60	
Lunch Supplies,	8,074.13	
	$11,039.73	
Balance to Revenue	3.45	
	$11,043.18	

SCHOOLS — ADVANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLAN PREPARATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A SCHOOL BUILDING

Received from Federal Government		$5,000.00
Expenditures:		
Lewis W. Perkins—Engineering,	$723.35	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	4,276.65	
	$5,000.00	

SCHOOLS — PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, ESTIMATES FOR ERECTION OF A NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING

Brought Foward from 1945		$325.70
Expenditures:		
Printing,	$77.94	
Travel Expenses,	51.31	
Architect—John E. Nichols, services,	105.00	
Delivering Folders in Town Report,	10.00	
Telephone service,	1.44	
	$245.69	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	80.01	
	$325.70	

SCHOOLS — PURCHASE OF A NEW BUS

Appropriation		$3,600.00
Expenditures:		
1946 Bus Chassis with Wayne School Bus, Model 699T,	$3,127.72	
Advertising for Bids,	2.00	
	$3,129.72	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	470.28	
	$3,600.00	

SCHOOLS — ALTERATIONS OF LUNCH ROOM AT RIPLEY ROAD SCHOOL

Appropriation			$8,175.00
Expenditures:			
Architect—R. Rea Esgar, services,		$131.00	
Contractor—G. A. Williams,		5,170.09	
Advertising and Printing,		8.25	
Painting,		229.60	
Miscellaneous Repairs,		259.99	
Equipment:			
1 Exhaust Electric Fan,	$162.65		
1—#83 M. Garland Range,	267.87		
Stainless Steel Sink and Steam Table,	695.00		
All Other,	12.06		
		1,137.58	
		$6,936.51	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947		1,238.49	
		$8,175.00	

SCHOOLS — HEATING SYSTEM AT RIPLEY ROAD SCHOOL

Appropriation		$1,000.00
No Expenditures, Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$1,000.00	

LIBRARIES — GENERAL MAINTENANCE

Appropriation			$7,050.00
Expenditures:			
Paul Pratt Memorial Library:			
Rev. Fred V. Stanley, Treasurer,	$6,584.57		
Telephone—Paul Pratt Memorial Library,	33.34		
Telephone–Beechwood Branch Library,	32.09		
		$6,650.00	
Nantasket Library:			
James A. Brackett, Treasurer,		400.00	
		$7,050.00	

Recreation and Unclassified

TOWN COMMONS AND PARKS — GENERAL

Appropriation	$1,000.00
Interest received from Robert Charles Billings Fund	23.00
Interest received from Billings-Pratt Fund	20.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund	134.83
	$1,177.83

Expenditures:			
Town Common:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$610.01		
Insurance—Employers' Liability on $1,500	27.47		
Equipment and Supplies,	67.54		
Repairs to Mowers,	128.95		
Gasoline and Oil for Mower,	24.34		
Tractor Mowing,	4.00		
		$862.31	
Small Parks:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$253.18		
Sharpening and Repairing Mower,	2.00		
		255.18	
Billings-Pratt Park:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	56.96		
Supplies,	1.00		
		57.96	
		$1,175.45	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		2.38	
		$1,177.83	

BEECHWOOD BALL FIELD

Appropriation		$215.00
Expenditures:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$129.63	
Equipment and Supplies,	5.99	
Gasoline and Oil for Mower,	.83	
Cement,	1.00	
Wire for Back Stop,	26.60	
Paint and Brushes,	23.00	
Lumber,	27.03	
	$214.08	
Balance to Revenue	.92	
	$215.00	

TOWN COMMON POND
EDITH M. BATES FUND

Brought Forward from 1945		$111.52
Expenditures:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$35.60	
Repairs to Fountain,	10.75	
	$46.35	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	65.17	
	$111.52	

WHEELWRIGHT PARK

Brought Forward from 1945		$1,070.83
Interest Received in 1946		300.00
		$1,370.83
Expenditures:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$980.72	
Gravel,	81.00	
Signs,	9.00	
Equipment and Supplies,	45.50	
Gasoline,	2.28	
	$1,118.50	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	252.33	
	$1,370.83	

WADLEIGH PARK

Brought Forward from 1945		$284.86
Interest Received in 1946		100.00
		$384.86
Expenditures:		
Care of Park—Anthony Emanuello, services,	$70.00	
Sharpening and Repairing Mowers,	7.25	
	$77.25	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	307.61	
	$384.86	

PERKIN'S CEMETERY FUND

Brought Forward from 1945		$58.20
Transfer from Fund		100.00
		$158.20
Expenditures:		
Care of Cemetery—James S. Bates, services,	$142.75	
Water Service,	4.53	
	$147.28	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	10.92	
	$158.20	

CEDAR STREET CEMETERY — PERPETUAL CARE

Interest Received in 1946		$15.45
Expenditures:		
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	$9.49	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	5.96	
	$15.45	

MILLIKEN FIELD — MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$750.00
Transfers from Reserve Fund		178.29
		$928.29
Expenditures:		
Superintendent—Joseph M. Sullivan, salary,	$126.50	
Labor (For detail, see end of report)	516.05	
Insurance—Employers' Liability,	7.88	
Fertilizer,	17.50	
Equipment and Supplies,	59.15	
Lime,	23.00	
Sharpening and Repairing Mowers,	76.65	
Gasoline and Oil for Mower,	12.68	
Rolling Tennis Court,	16.50	
1 Set Bases,	8.00	
Plumbing Repairs,	61.19	
	$925.10	
Balance to Overlay Surplus	3.19	
	$928.29	

MILLIKEN FIELD — IMPROVEMENT

Transfer from Fund		$204.00
Expenditures:		
Mason Repairs to Grand Stand	$204.00	

DAMAGE TO PERSONS AND PERSONAL PROPERTY AND INDEMNIFICATION

Appropriation		$300.00
No Expenditure—Balance to Revenue	$300.00	

PENSION FUND

Appropriation		$1,050.00
Expenditure:		
Frank Jason—Retired,	$656.25	
Balance to Revenue	393.75	
	$1,050.00	

MEMORIAL DAY, OTHER LEGAL HOLIDAYS AND CELEBRATIONS

Appropriation		$500.00
Expenditures:		
Band Service—George W. Ventre,	$200.00	
Collation,	53.47	
Floral Wreaths,	54.00	

Stationery and Printing,	22.80	
Ammunition,	5.94	
American Flags—22 Dozens,	30.80	
Markers,	.73	
Christmas Tree Light Service,	21.00	
	$388.74	
Balance to Revenue	111.26	
	$500.00	

STUDY OF WAR MEMORIAL

Appropriation from Excess and Deficiency at Special Town Meeting, September 13, 1946		$500.00
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$500.00	

TOWN REPORTS, PRINTING, ETC.

Appropriation		$1,385.00
Expenditures:		
Sanderson Brothers—Printing 1200 Town Reports, and 200 Valuation Books,	$1,197.00	
Delivering Town Reports,	35.00	
Postage,	4.00	
Binding 7 Volumes of Town Reports,	63.50	
Printing Pay Roll Vouchers,	84.25	
	$1,383.75	
Balance to Revenue	1.25	
	$1,385.00	

TOWN CLOCK

Appropriation		$80.00
Expenditures:		
Care of Clock—Nelson C. Pratt, services,	$65.00	
Insurance—Employers' Liability,	4.15	
	$69.15	
Balance to Revenue	10.85	
	$80.00	

TOWN FLAG

Appropriation		$350.00
Expenditures:		
Care of Flag—Nelson C. Pratt, services,	$228.13	
4 — 9x15′ American Flags,	45.81	
	$273.94	
Balance to Revenue	76.06	
	$350.00	

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED, AND OTHER UNCLASSIFIED ITEMS

Appropriation		$100.00
Expenditures:		
Insurance—Municipal Garage—$1,500 for 3 yrs.	$45.30	
Loss Constant	5.00	
	$50.30	
Balance to Revenue	49.70	
	$100.00	

Enterprises and Cemeteries

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

NORTH COHASSET POST OFFICE BUILDING AND FIRE DEPARTMENT BUILDING

Appropriation		$205.00
Expenditures:		
Repairs,	$86.17	
Janitor Supplies,	16.06	
Insurance—$4,000 for Three Years,	73.50	
Water Service,	12.00	
	$187.73	
Balance to Revenue	17.27	
	$205.00	

BATES BUILDING

Appropriation		$150.00
Expenditures:		
Repairs,	$26.64	
Insurance—$1,000 for Three Years,	13.70	
Public Liability Insurance,	10.00	
	$50.34	
Balance to Revenue	99.66	
	$150.00	

ERECTION OF MUNICIPAL GARAGE

Brought Forward from 1945		$1,723.76
Expenditures:		
Clark & Smith, Inc.—Balance on Contract,	$1,163.40	
Electrical Contract,	317.00	
Application Two Coats Red Cement Paint,	225.00	
	$1,705.40	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	18.36	
	$1,723.76	

GOVERNMENT ISLAND REAL ESTATE

Appropriated from Excess and Deficiency at Special Town Meeting, September 13, 1946			$29,000.00
No Expenditure—Balance Carried Forward to 1947,		$29,000.00	

BEECHWOOD SCHOOL BUILDING

Transfer from Reserve Fund			$38.80
Expenditure:			
Carpenter Repairs,		$38.80	

TOWN GUILD HALL BUILDING

Appropriation			$1,000.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			182.59
			$1,182.59
Expenditures:			
Janitor Services:			
Lot E. Bates,	$45.00		
Charles C. Philbrook,	45.00		
		90.00	
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		12.66	
Janitor Supplies,		7.04	
Fuel,		138.44	
Water Service,		23.00	
2—6x9′ American Flags,		9.33	
Boiler Inspection,		5.00	
Repairs:			
Cellar Pump,	$21.60		
Painting Contract,	503.50		
Welding Fire Escapes,	7.50		
Carpentering,	18.26		
Installation of Oil Burner,	346.26		
		897.12	
		$1,182.59	

PARKING PLACE — MAINTENANCE

Appropriation			$5.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			600.00
			$605.00
Expenditures:			
Labor (For detail, see end of report)		$316.50	
Signs and Repairs to Same,		22.50	
1990 Gallons Tar,		257.43	
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.—Rent 1 Year,		5.00	
		$601.43	
Balance to Overlay Surplus		3.57	
		$605.00	

FISHWAY AT BOUND BROOK

Brought Forward from 1945		$56.45
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$56.45	

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE ON WATER SERVICE

Brought Forward from 1945		$995.00
Expenditures:		
Lawrence L. Suttenberg, services,	$75.00	
Margaret A. Diviney, Clerk services,	8.00	
Rita C. DuMoulin—Clerk services,	5.00	
Printing, Stationery and Postage,	20.34	
	$108.34	
Balance Carried Forward to 1947	886.66	
	$995.00	

CEMETERIES — MAINTENANCE

Appropriation		$1,850.00
Expenditures:		
Superintendent—George A. Henry, services,	$1,398.90	
Labor (For detail, see end of Report)	186.73	
Stationery and Postage,	3.50	
Writing Cemetery Deeds,	1.00	
Telephone (George A. Henry's residence)	21.00	
Insurance—Employers' Liability on $400.	17.83	
Sharpening and Repairing Lawn Mowers,	9.30	
Electric Light Service,	9.00	
Hardware Supplies,	2.55	
Fertilizer,	62.50	
Mowing and Removing Hay,	12.00	
Grass Seed,	6.00	
Rubbish Barrels,	9.50	
	$1,739.81	
Balance to Revenue	110.19	
	$1,850.00	

CEMETERIES — VETERAN'S GRAVES

Appropriation		$400.00
Expenditures:		
Philip L. Towle, Treasurer—Cohasset Central Cemetery,	$224.79	
Bernard Lawrence—Woodside Cemetery,	50.00	
H. Reynold Eastman—Beechwood Cemetery,	75.00	
	$349.79	
Balance to Revenue	50.21	
	$400.00	

CEMETERY — IMPROVEMENT, ENLARGEMENT, ETC.

Brought Forward from 1945		$114.53
No Expenditure, Balance Carried Forward to 1947	$114.53	

Interest and Municipal Indebtedness

INTEREST ON LOANS IN ANTICPATION OF REVENUE

Appropriation		$200.00
No Expenditure, Balance to Revenue	$200.00	

INTEREST — GENERAL

Appropriation		$100.00
Expenditure:		
Rockland Trust Company—Interest on Notes 108 to 112 Inclusive due April 1, 1946	$100.00	

LOAN, MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS, BONDS OR NOTES FROM REVENUE

Appropriation		$5,000.00
Expenditure:		
Rockland Trust Company—Balance due on Notes 108 to 112 Inclusive	$5,000.00	

UNPAID BILLS FOR 1945

Appropriation		$122.13
Expenditure:		
Town Hall:		
Electrical Repairs,	$122.13	

W. P. A. FEDERAL PROJECTS, ETC.

Brought Forward from 1945		$3,284.02
Transferred to Town Hall—Including Heating and Other Purposes Account, Article 38, Annual Town Meeting, March 2, 1946	$3,284.02	

AGENCY

Appropriation, State and County Taxes:		
State:		
General,	$8,000.00	
State Parks and Reservations,	390.15	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts,	317.52	
Nantasket Beach, Maintenance,	302.47	
		$9,010.14
County:		
County Tax,	$11,600.69	
County Treasurer—Dog Licenses,	943.00	
		12,543.69

Tax Title Agency:		
Norfolk County Registry of Deeds,		5.37
Federal Withheld Tax Deductions,		14,903.80
Blue Cross & Blue Shield Deductions,		1,624.30
Liquor Licenses Advertising,		17.50
Public Welfare Recovery—Comm. of Mass.,		593.10
Non-Alcoholic Beverage License—Due State,		10.00
		$38,707.90

TRUSTS

Cemetery (Woodside) Perpetual Care:		
Cohasset Savings Bank:		
Esther M. Thayer—Lot 51 Sec. F.	$100.00	
Sherwood Ainslie—Lot 167 Sec. E.	100.00	
Estate Mary E. Golden—Lot 26 Sec. E.	75.00	
Elizabeth J. Dolan—Lot 160 Sec E.	100.00	
John S. Salvador—Lot 1 Sec. F.	100.00	
		$475.00
Levi T. Lincoln, Treasurer—Interest on Williams' Lot		1.50
Post War Rehabilitation Fund:		
Interest Received and Tranferred to Proper Fund,		200.00
Tailings (Un-claimed Checks)		6.22
		$682.72

REFUNDS

Poll:		
1946		$32.00
Personal:		
1946,		49.60
Real Estate:		
1943,	$372.00	
1944,	1,578.00	
1945,	1,250.85	
1946,	474.20	
		3,675.05
Motor Vehicle Excise:		
1946,		92.35
Overpayments:		
1946 Motor Vehicle Excise	$1.00	
Tax Title Recordings	.88	
		1.88
Departmental:		
Selectmen—Overpayment Telephone Service		6.54
Refuse and Garbage Contract:		
Guarantee Deposit		100.00
		$3,957.42

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR 1946 ..... $413,768.39

RESERVE FUND

Appropriation			$5,000.00
Transfers made to the following Accounts:			
Account 2	Selectmen—Expenses,	$73.94	
Account 2A	Selectmen—Improvement Account,	500.00	
Account 5	Tax Collector—Expenses,	70.00	
Account 9	Town Clerk—Expenses,	21.42	
Account 10	Elections, Registrations, and Town Meetings,	232.42	
Account 11	Town Hall,	737.64	
Account 12	Police Department,	636.02	
Account 17	Moth Suppression,	175.00	
Account 18	Tree Warden—Salary,	136.00	
Account 26	Removal of Snow, Sanding Street, etc.	373.77	
Account 28	Street Signs, etc.,	78.38	
Account 32	Soldiers' Benefits,	250.00	
Account 35	Town Commons, General,	134.83	
Account 38	Milliken Field—Maintenance,	178.29	
Account 44D	Beechwood School Building,	38.80	
Account 45	Town Guild Hall Building,	182.59	
Account 45A	Parking Place—Maintenance,	600.00	
		$4,419.10	
	Balance to Overlay Surplus	580.90	
		$5,000.00	

TOWN OF COHASSET
BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1946
General Accounts

ASSETS

Cash:		
General,		$163,905.68
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1946:		
Personal,	$656.90	
Real Estate,	16,431.70	
		17,088.60
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:		
Levy of 1946,		255.88
Tax Titles,	62.13	
Tax Possessions,	1,582.88	
		1,645.01
Departmental:		
Police,	20.00	
Tree Warden,	22.15	
Civilian Defense,	7.20	
Temporary Aid,	3,671.43	
Old Age Assistance,	75.00	
Aid to Dependent Children,	463.35	
Schools,	11.34	
Cemetery,	158.38	
		4,428.85
Underestimated 1946 State Assessments:		
State Parks and Reservations,	146.30	

LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Pay Roll Deductions:		
Blue Cross and Blue Shield,		$279.65
Reserved pending Acceptance:		
Gift—Individual,		200.00
Tailings,		63.92
Sale of Real Estate Fund,		3,810.00
Cemetery, Sale of Lots and Graves Fund,		3,178.75
Trust Fund Income:		
Wheelwright Park,	$252.33	
Wadleigh Park,	307.61	
E. M. Bates Town Pond & Common,	65.17	
Perkins' Cemetery Care Fund,	10.92	
Cedar Street Cemetery Care Fund,	5.96	
		641.99
Proceeds of Dog Licenses—Due County,		12.00
Proceeds of Un-License Dog—Due County,		3.00
Old Age Assistance—Recovery,		1,200.00
Unexpended Appropriation Balances:		
Town Hall—Including Heating,	1,420.01	
Police and Fire Station Committee,	289.33	
Police—Cruising Car,	150.00	
Fire Department—Aerial Ladder Truck,	15,500.00	
Hydrant Rental—Lambert's Lane,	75.00	
Hydrant Rental—Cedar Street,	75.00	

BALANCE SHEET — Continued

Nantasket Beach Maintenance,	17.72	
		164.02
Underestimated 1946 County Assessment, County Tax,		295.19
		$187,783.23

Hydrant Rentals—King Street,	225.00	
Shell Fish Cultivation,	400.00	
Cohasset Sate Guard Unit,	48.00	
Refuse and Garbage Disposal Contract,	650.00	
Install Light—Lambert's Lane,	53.16	
Harbor—Dredging,	15,000.00	
Schools—Engineering and Plans,	4,276.65	
Schools—Tentative Plans, New School,	80.01	
Schools—New Bus,	470.28	
Schools—Lunch Room Alterations,	1,238.49	
Schools—Heating System,	1,000.00	
Study of War Memorial,	500.00	
Erection of Municipal Garage,	18.36	
Government Island Real Estate,	29,000.00	
Fishway at Bound Brook,	56.45	
Committee Investigation of Water System,	886.66	
Cemeteries—Improvement, etc.	114.53	
		71,526.93
Overlay Reserved for Abatement of Taxes, Levy of 1946,		5,258.42
Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus,		2,670.59
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes,	255.88	
Tax Titles & Tax Possessions,	1,645.01	
Departmental,	4,428.85	
		6,329.74
Excess and Deficiency,		92,608.24
		$187,783.23

BALANCE SHEET — Continued

Trust Accounts

Trust Funds, Cash and Securities:	
In Custody of:	
Town Treasurer,	$63,730.54
Library Trustees,	36,839.09
Directors of Paul Pratt Memorial Library	12,638.60
	$113,208.23

Ripley School Fund,	$1,206.19
James W. Nichols School Prize Fund,	2,238.11
Wheelwright Park Fund,	15,000.00
H. W. Wadleigh Park Fund	5,000.00
Billings-Pratt Park Fund,	1,000.00
R. C. Billings Town Common Fund,	1,150.00
E. M. Bates Town Pond and Common Fund,	1,628.28
Arthur N. Milliken Recreational Fund,	1,640.17
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds,	6,834.89
Post War Rehabilitation Fund,	10,556.22
Charles A. Perkins' Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund,	16,446.37
Cedar Street Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund,	1,030.31
Cohasset Free Public Library Funds,	36,839.09
Paul Pratt Memorial Library Funds,	12,638.60
	$113,208.23

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS & ACCOUNTS FOR 1946

Accounts for 1946	ations Appropri-	Expendi-tures	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds to Depts.	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1947	Balances to Overlay Surplus	Remarks
Moderator	$126.50	$126.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Finance Committee	350.00	225.99	.....	.....	$124.01	.....	.....	
Planning Board	200.00	101.09	.....	.....	98.91	.....	.....	
Selectmen—Salaries,	1,518.00	1,415.57	.....	.....	102.43	.....	.....	
Selectmen—Expenses,	929.00	1,000.15	$73.94	.....	.....	.....	$2.79	
Selectmen—Improvement Account	.....	1,758.15	500.00	.....	.....	.....	7.66	Brought forward from 1945 $1,265.81
Auditor and Accountant,	3,041.00	3,040.89	.....	.....	.11	.....	.....	
Town Treasurer—Salary,	2,200.00	2,200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Town Treasurer—Expenses	911.00	757.10	.....	.....	153.90	.....	.....	
Tax Collector—Salary,	2,200.00	2,200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Tax Collector—Expenses,	1,280.00	1,489.59	70.00	$50.00	.....	.....	60.41	Appropriated at Special Town Meeting, September 13, 1946—$150.00
Assessors—Salaries,	3,270.50	3,170.71	.....	.....	99.79	.....	.....	
Assessors—Expenses,	1,420.80	1,420.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Other Finance Offices and Accounts, Certification of Notes,	10.00	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	
Law and Legal Counsel,	1,581.25	1,581.25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Town Clerk—Salary,	1,138.50	1,138.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Town Clerk—Expenses,	787.50	817.92	21.42	11.15	.....	.....	2.15	
Elections, Registrations and Town Meetings,	2,006.00	2,238.42	232.42	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Engineering—Maintenance,	300.00	221.43	.....	.....	78.57	.....	.....	
Engineering—Outlay,	150.00	15.75	.....	.....	134.25	.....	.....	
Town Hall,	5,932.25	6,667.64	737.64	.....	.....	.....	2.25	

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS & ACCOUNTS FOR 1946 — Continued

Accounts for 1946	Appropriations	Expenditures	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds to Depts.	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1947	Balances to Overlay Surplus	Remarks
Town Hall—Including Heating and Other Purposes,	.....	1,864.01	.....	.....	.....	$1,420.01	.....	Transfer from W. P. A. Accoun Article 38, Annual Town Meetin March 2, 1946
Police Department,	24,000.00	24,635.60	636.02	.....	.....	.....	.42	
Police and Fire Stations Committee,	.....	1,657.57	.....	.....	.....	289.33	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $1,946.90
Police Department—Purchase of a Police Car,	1,000.00	850.00	.....	.....	.....	150.00	.....	Article 17, Annual Town Meetin March 2, 1946.
Fire Department,	29,763.88	29,748.78	.....	.....	15.10	.....	.....	
Fire Department—Fire Alarm,	2,402.73	2,388.82	.....	.....	13.91	.....	.....	
Fire Department—Purchase of Aerial Ladder Truck,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,500.00	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $15,500.00
Hydrant Service, Etc.,	10,200.00	10,156.25	.....	.....	43.75	.....	.....	
Hydrant Rental—Lambert's Lane,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75.00	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $75.00
Hydrant Rental—Cedar Street	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75.00	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $75.00
Hydrant Rentals—King Street and Chief Justice Cushing Highway,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	225.00	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $225.00
Inspection of Wires,	794.00	774.00	.....	.....	20.00	.....	.....	
Sealing of Weights and Measures,	518.91	511.35	.....	.....	7.56	.....	.....	

Insect Pest Extermination, Moth Suppression,	5,712.34	5,887.20	175.00				.14	
Moth Suppression—Purchase of Spraying Machine,		868.00						Brought forward from 1945 $868.00
Tree Warden—Salary,	632.50	632.50						
Tree Warden—Expenses,	2,664.63	2,800.16	136.00				.47	
Tree Warden—Special—Clearing Tree for Fire Alarm,	367.64	366.59			1.05			
Forest Fires,	1,135.00	1,130.16			4.84			
Bounties,	25.00				25.00			
Shell Fish Cultivation,						400.00		Brought forward from 1945 $400.00
Cohasset State Guard Unit,	100.00	52.00				48.00		Article 19, Annual Town Meeting, March 2, 1946
Board of Health, General—Salaries,	759.00	759.00						
Board of Health, General—Expenses,	1,836.00	1,804.44		40.00	71.56			
Tuberculosis Hospital—Braintree		2,879.95						From 1946 Revenue $2,879.95
Inspection of School Cildren—Dental Dispensary,	1,465.00	1,464.95			.05			
District Nurse,	1,540.00	1,540.00						
Oxygen, Supplies, Etc.	200.00	199.47			.53			
Inspection of Animals,	115.00	115.00						
Inspection of Slaughtering,	100.00	100.00						
Inspection of Milk and Vinegar,	208.13	189.13			19.00			
R. & G. Disposal—Town Dump,	2,367.00	2,362.50			4.50			
Town Dump—Incidental Expenses,	100.00	99.48			.52			
Refuse and Garbage Disposal—Contract,		2,625.70				650.00		Brought forward from 1945 $3,275.70
Care of Brooks and Streams, Draining of Ponds, James Brook, Straits Pond, Cat Dam, Etc.,	1,588.92	1,582.25			6.67			
Eradication of Mosquitoes,	500.00	500.00						Article 40, Annual Town Meeting, March 2, 1946

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS & ACCOUNTS FOR 1946 — Continued

Accounts for 1946	Appropriations	Expenditures	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds to Depts.	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1947	Balances to Overlay Surplus	Remarks
Highways, General—Salary,	3,200.00	3,200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Highways, General — Expenses,	27,304.00	27,303.78	.....	.....	.22	.....	.....	
Highways, General—New Truck,	800.00	800.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Article 21, Annual Town Meetin March 2, 1946
Snow and Ice Removal—Sanding Streets,	12,000.00	12,373.77	373.77	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Street Lighting,	9,300.00	9,181.57	.....	.....	118.43	.....	.....	
Maintenance of Light—Lambert's Lane,	58.00	4.84	.....	.....	.....	53.16	.....	Article 37, Annual Town Meeting March 2, 1946
Street Signs, etc.—Selectmen,	200.00	275.88	78.38	.....	.....	.....	2.50	
Harbor—Maintenance,	1,634.75	1,632.10	.....	.....	2.65	.....	.....	
Harbor—Dredging,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000.00	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $15,000.00
Public Welfare—Salaries,	1,265.00	1,230.87	.....	.....	34.13	.....	.....	
Public Welfare—Administration,	400.00	320.76	.....	.....	79.24	.....	.....	
Public Welfare—Assistance,	5,000.00	2,992.00	.....	.....	2,008.00	.....	.....	
Old Age Assistance—Administration,	1,640.00	1,644.27	.....	.....	346.09	.....	.....	Federal Grant $350.36
Old Age Assistance—Assistance,	20,000.00	28,508.22	.....	79.65	2,048.64	.....	.....	Federal Grants $10,477.21
Aid to Dependent Children—Admin.,	270.00	241.15	.....	.....	83.43	.....	.....	Federal Grants $54.58
Aid to Dependent Children—Assistance,	5,000.00	4,075.80	.....	.....	1,861.70	.....	.....	Federal Grants $937.50
Soldiers' Benefits,	2,500.00	915.53	250.00	.....	1,584.47	.....	250.00	
Schools—Maintenance,	93,255.29	96,536.51	.....	78.37	41.86	.....	.....	Dog Fund $744.71. Appropriated a Special Town Meeting, Septembe 13, 1946, $2,500.00
Schools — Lunches,	9,000.00	11,039.73	.....	.....	3.45	.....	.....	Federal Grants $2,043.18

Schools—Advance for the Purpose of plan Preparation for Construction of a School Building,	.....	723.35	.....	.....	.....	4,276.65	.....	Federal Grant $5,000.00
Schools—Plans, Specifications, Estimates for Erection of a new High School Building,	.....	245.69	.....	.....	.....	80.01	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $325.70
Schools—Purchase of a new Bus,	3,600.00	3,129.72	.....	.....	.....	470.28	.....	Article 30, Annual Town Meeting
Schools—Alteration of Lunch Room at Ripley Road School,	8,175.00	6,936.51	.....	.....	.....	1,238.49	.....	Article 29, Annual Town Meeting
Schools—Heating System at Ripley Road School,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00	.....	Article 27, Annual Town Meeting, transfer of $1,000.00
Libraries—General Maintenance,	7,050.00	7,050.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Town Commons—General,	1,000.00	1,175.45	134.83	.....	.....	.....	2.38	Interest received in 1946 $23.00
Beechwood Ball Field,	215.00	214.08	.....	.....	.92	.....	.....	
Town Common Pond—E. M. Bates Fund,	.....	46.35	.....	.....	.....	65.17	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $111.52
Wheelwright Park,	.....	1,118.50	.....	.....	.....	252.33	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $1,070.83 Interest received in 1946 $300.00
Wadleigh Park,	.....	77.25	.....	.....	.....	307.61	.....	Brought forward from 1945 $284.86 Interest received in 1946 $100.00
Perkins' Cemetery Fund,	.....	147.28	.....	.....	.....	10.92	.....	Brought forward from 1946 $58.20 Transfer from Fund $100.00
Cedar Street Cemetery Fund,	.....	9.49	.....	.....	.....	5.96	.....	Interest received in 1946 $15.45
Milliken Field—Maintenance,	750.00	925.10	178.29	.....	.....	.....	3.19	
Milliken Field—Improvement,	.....	204.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Transfer from Fund $204.00
Damage to Persons and Personal Property and Indemnification,	300.00	.....	.....	.....	300.00	.....	.....	
Pension Fund,	1,050.00	656.25	.....	.....	393.75	.....	.....	

RECAPITULATION OF APPROPRIATIONS & ACCOUNTS FOR 1946 — Continued

Accounts for 1946	Appropriations	Expenditures	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds to Depts.	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1947	Balances to Overlay Surplus	Remarks
Memorial Day, Other Legal Holidays and Celebrations,	500.00	388.74			111.26			
Study of War Memorial,						500.00		Appropriated at Special Tow Meeting, September 13, 194 $500.00
Town Reports, Printing, etc.,	1,385.00	1,383.75			1.25			
Town Clock,	80.00	69.15			10.85			
Town Flag,	350.00	273.94			76.06			
Employers' Liability Insurance Not Otherwise Classified, and Other Unclassified Items,	100.00	50.30			49.70			
North Cohasset Post Office Building,	205.00	187.73			17.27			
Bates Building,	150.00	50.34			99.66			
Erection of Municipal Garage,		1,705.40				18.36		Brought forward from 1946 $1,723.76
Government Island Real Estate,						29,000.00		Appropriated at Special Tow Meeting, September 13, 1946 $29,000.00
Beechwood School Building,		38.80	38.80					
Town Guild Hall Building,	1,000.00	1,182.59	182.59					
Parking Place—Maintenance,	5.00	601.43	600.00				3.57	
Fishway at Bound Brook,						56.45		Brought forward from 1945 $56.45
Investigating Committee on Water Service,		108.34				886.66		Brought forward from 1945 $995.00

Cemeteries—Maintenance,	1,850.00	1,739.81			110.19			
Cemeteries—Veterans' Graves,	400.00	349.79			50.21			
Cemeteries—Improvement, etc.						114.53		Brought forward from 1945 $114.53
Interest—Anticipation of Revenue,	200.00				200.00			
Interest—General,	100.00	100.00						
Loans, Municipal Indebtedness, Bonds or Notes from Revenue,	5,000.00	5,000.00						
Un-paid Bills for 1945,	122.13	122.13						Article 25 Annual Town Meeting, March 2, 1946
Reserve Fund,	5,000.00	4,419.10					580.90	
Refunds Paid,		3,957.42						
Trust Paid,		682.72						
Agency Paid,		38,707.90						
	$350,862.15	$418,187.49	$4,419.10	$259.17	$10.669.44	$72,168.92	$918.83	

Trust Funds as of January 1, 1947

Arthur N. Milliken Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$1,807.85
Dividends earned in 1946	36.32
	$1,844.17
Received by the Town in 1946	204.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$1,640.17

PARKS

Robert Charles Billings Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$1,150.00
Dividends earned in 1946	23.00
	$1,173.00
Received by the Town in 1946	23.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$1,150.00

Billings-Pratt Park Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$1,000.00
Dividends earned in 1946	20.00
	$1,020.00
Received by the Town in 1946	20.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$1,000.00

H. W. Wadleigh Park:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$5,000.00
Dividends earned in 1946	100.00
	$5,100.00
Received by the Town in 1946	100.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$5,000.00

Wheelwright Park Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$15,000.00
Dividends earned in 1946	300.00
	$15,300.00
Received by the Town in 1946	300.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$15,000.00

Edith M. Bates Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946	$1,596.20
Dividends earned in 1946	32.08
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$1,628.28

SCHOOLS

Ripley Fund:	
On hand, January 1, 1946	$1,182.43
Dividends earned in 1946	23.76
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$1,206.19
James W. Nichols Fund:	
On hand, January 1, 1946	$2,194.02
Dividends earned in 1946	44.09
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$2,238.11

POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

On hand, January 1, 1946	$10,349.71
Dividends earned in 1946	206.51
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947	$10,556.22

Perpetual Care — Cemetery Lots

On hand, January 1, 1946 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$5,942.43
Lots added in 1945:	
Estate of Mary C. Golden—Lot 26 Section E	75.00
Elizabeth J. Dolan—Lot 160 Section E	100.00
Esther M. Thayer—Lot 51 Section F	100.00
John S. Salvador—Lot 1 Section E	100.00
Sherwood Ainslie—Lot 167 Section E	100.00
	$6,417.43
Dividends earned in 1946	117.30
	$6,534.73
Received by the Town and Credited to Cemetery for Perpetual Care of Lots and Graves	118.67
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$6,416.06
On hand, January 1, 1946 at Rockland Trust Company	$102.19
Dividends earned in 1946	1.02
	$103.21
Received by the Town and Credited to Cemetery for Perpetual Care of Lots and Graves	1.02
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Rockland Trust Company	$102.19

BEECHWOOD CEMETERY

Thomas and Almira Williams:	
On hand, January 1, 1946 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$75.00
Dividends earned in 1946	1.50
	$76.50

Paid to Levi T. Lincoln, Treasurer, in 1946	1.50
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$75.00

John Pratt:

On hand, January 1, 1946 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$236.89
Dividends earned in 1946	4.75
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$241.64

NORTH COHASSET CEMETERY

Charles A. Perkins Cemetery Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$16,221.33
Dividends earned in 1946	325.04
	$16,546.37
Received by the Town in 1946	100.00
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$16,446.37

CEDAR STREET CEMETERY

Cedar Street Cemetery Fund:

On hand, January 1, 1946 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$1,030.31
Dividends earned in 1946	15.45
	$1,045.76
Received by the Town in 1946	15.45
Balance on hand, January 1, 1947 at Cohasset Savings Bank	$1,030.31

DETAILS FROM PAYROLLS, 1946

Election Officers

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$24.50	Keegan, Mamie F.	7.75
Antoine, Abraham J.	24.50	Lapham, Ziba T.	6.00
Beal, Reginald R.	38.50	Lawrence, Emma F.	15.00
Browne, Mildred T.	24.50	Marks, Charles A.	6.00
Conroy, Louise E.	15.00	Marks, Manuel A.	42.50
Deegan, Charles J.	11.00	Migliaccio, Mary D.	27.50
DeSantos, Nellie E.	35.50	Noonan, Catherine D.	10.75
Donovan, Katherine F.	14.50	Pattison, Frank O.	29.50
Downs, Frances	33.50	Pratt, Elizabeth A.	45.50
Freeman, Emery E.	7.75	Pratt, Ora H.	24.50
Grassie, Clarence M.	18.00	Reed, Ada B.	32.50
Hetue, Harry A. P.	27.75	St. John, Anastasia	42.50
Hill, Florence E.	39.50	Stoddard, Mary E.	15.00
Hyland, Clara E.	14.50	Sweeney, Henry E.	51.50
Jason, Kenneth R.	18.00	Thrasher, Pauline	7.75
Jenkins, Frederick B.	11.00	Trott, Rosilla	10.75
Jerome, Elizabeth L.	42.50		
			$775.50

Selectmen Improvement Account

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Andrews, Carlton W.	$42.69	Nardo, Salvatori	6.33
Eastman, Henry R.	79.12	Nardo, Vincent	18.99
James, Arthur F.	373.45	Nunes, Frank V.	227.88
Jones, Warren W.	12.66	Pina, Donald	3.16
Litchfield, Elwood F.	6.33	Ritter, Harry	3.16
Litchfield, James	15.83	Stoddard, David	79.11
McPherson, John	3.16	Studley, Merle	15.82
Monk, Horace W.	14.23	Whittemore, Phillip P.	4.74
Nardo, James, Sr.	41.13		
			$947.79

Selectmen Improvement Account—Tree Warden

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ainslie, Henry W.	$42.72	Nardo, James	58.53
Andrews, Carlton W.	140.80	Pratt, Roscoe G.	30.40
Eastman, Henry R.	31.64	Stoddard, David	91.76
Lincoln, Jerome	15.82	Stoddard, Sheldon	7.91
McPherson, John	34.81		
			$454.39

Fire Department

CALL MEN

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Antoine, Abraham J., Jr.	$109.92	Malley, Edward P., Capt.	$148.38
Antoine, Edward J.	116.65	McArthur, William H.	38.14
Burke, William F., Capt.	137.16	McAuliffe, William F.	69.61
Clark, Arthur L., Capt.	119.22	Oliver, Manuel F.	121.13
Culliney, Thomas F.	112.16	Pagliaro, Stephen	56.08
Dyment, John, Lieut.	127.87	Poland, Walter M.	143.57
Edwards, Ernest W. J., Lieut.	13.46	Poland, William E.	145.81
Edwards, Frederick N.	62.81	Rooney, Stephen H.	58.33
Emanuello, Anthony	65.05	Salvador, Bernard J.	83.00
Fitzpatrick, Edward J.	159.29	Salvador, Louis E.	26.92
Frates, Alfred E.	123.38	Silvia, Joseph A.	127.87
Frates, Charles W., Lieut.	148.06	Silvia, Joseph M.	143.57
Freeman, Austin L.	134.60	Somerville, Arthur	109.95
Kelly, Benjamin H.	31.42	Stevens, Malcolm H.	145.81
James, Ezekiel	136.84	Stover, Charles R.	103.20
James, Rufus A.	152.54	Studley, Ralph R.	71.79
Leonard, Richard F.	141.33	Wheelwright, Walter C., Jr.	91.98
Lincoln, Jerome C.	112.16	Wheelwright, Frank S.	157.04
Lincoln, Lawrence F., Lieut.	130.19	Williams, Herbert, Jr.	17.95
MacLean, Edwin A.	80.76		
			$4,075.00

RELIEF DRIVERS

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Stover, Charles R.	$3.95

WATCHERS AFTER FIRES

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Edwards, Frederick N.	$1.58	Studley, Ralph	6.32
Freeman, Austin L.	3.16		
Silvia, Joseph M.	3.16		$14.22

OTHER EMPLOYEES

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Emery, John	$57.00

Fire Alarm

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Edwards, Ernest	$6.00	Sullivan, M. Joseph	$63.00
Jermyn, Howard G.	6.00	Wheelwright, Everett W., Jr.	56.97
Litchfield, Elwood F.	9.00	Williams, Charles H.	9.00
Malley, E. Parker	96.00		
			$245.97

Insect Pest Extermination — Moth Suppression

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$60.13	Lincoln, Jerome	18.98
Ainslie, Henry W.	18.99	Litchfield, James A.	18.98
Almeida, Joseph W.	15.82	Litchfield, William	18.99
Andrews, Carlton W.	416.17	Martin, William J.	31.65
Barrows, Richard	12.66	McPherson, John W.	148.74
Bates, Royal A.	12.66	Mealey, Ernest R.	25.32
Burdett, James	37.98	Monk, Horace W.	146.38
Cadose, Foster	66.46	Nardo, James	261.09
Damon, George L.	28.48	Nardo, Vincent	9.49
Eastman, Henry R.	193.03	Neagle, George R.	9.49
Faria, Edward	72.79	Pattison, Harry	56.97
Feola, Randolph A.	101.28	Pina, Donald	47.47
Fiori, Leo J.	25.32	Powers, William J.	12.66
Grassie, John S.	60.13	Rhodes, John	6.33
Grassie, Stephen J.	18.99	Ritter, Angus N.	60.13
Grassie, Thomas	28.48	Ritter, Harry	47.47
Grassie, William V.	12.66	Ritter, John	47.47
Hammond, Stanley	12.66	Rosano, Frank	18.99
James, William	18.99	Rosano, Frank J., Jr.	18.99
Jason, Charles R.	41.14	Rosano, James W.	25.32
Jason, Kenneth R.	44.31	Sargent, Chester H.	6.33
Keating, James M.	50.64	Sargent, Richard J.	37.98
Kelley, Benjamin	25.32	Silvia, Joseph M.	25.32
Kennedy, Charles R.	25.32	Stoddard, David	274.54
Kennedy, John	25.32	Stoddard, Sheldon B.	60.13
Lagrotterio, Francesco	37.98	Toomey, Phillip D.	12.66
Laugelli, Joseph	31.65	Whittemore, Phillip	125.80
LeClair, Leighton	44.31	Whittemore, Phillip J.	37.98
Lincoln, Harry W.	31.65		
			$3,182.97

Tree Warden, General

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$18.99	Monk, Horace W.	125.01
Almeida, Joseph W.	18.99	Nardo, James	137.67
Andrews, Carlton W.	533.27	Nardo, Vincent	12.66
Drake, Richard	12.66	Perry, Frank	6.33
Eastman, Henry R.	202.55	Pratt, Aaron	21.36
Faria, Edward	15.82	Rego, Frank	12.66
Feola, Randolph A.	203.35	Ritter, Angus N.	18.99
Ferreira, Albert	12.66	Ritter, Harry H.	18.99
Hartney Tree Surgeons	300.00	Sargent, Chester H.	9.00
Jason, Kenneth R.	18.99	Stoddard, David	117.10
Kelly, William	6.33	Tumey, Phillip D.	12.66
LeClair, Walter	41.14	Whittemore, Phillip J.	6.33
Litchfield, Edward L.	37.98	Whittemore, Phillip P.	6.33
Litchfield, James A.	50.64	Williams, Samuel	13.45
Mandell, Richard	3.16		
Mealy, Ernest R.	18.99		$2,014.06

Tree Warden, Special, Clearing Trees for Fire Alarm

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Andrews, Carlton W.	$85.44	Stoddard, David W.	66.46
Nardo, James	53.80		
			$205.70

Forest Fires

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ainslie, Robert	$1.58	Oliver, Melvin J.	.79
Andrews, Carlton W.	6.33	Oliver, Richard P.	3.16
Barrasso, Joseph	.79	Oliver, Manuel F.	4.74
Bates, Lot E., Jr.	.79	Pattison, Frank O.	15.01
Bates, Lewis J.	.79	Pattison, Harry A.	.79
Desmond, Hurbert	1.58	Petersen, Edwin P.	1.58
Desmond, Joseph	1.58	Piepenbrink, Charles	30.02
Dickson, Clifford, J.	4.74	Piepenbrink, Frederick	1.58
Edwards, Frederick N.	7.90	Poland, Richard	.79
Edwards, F. Noel	.79	Poland, Walter	9.48
Faria, Edward	1.58	Poland, William E.	11.85
Figueiredo, Lawrence A.	.79	Powers, William J.	.79
Fisher, Edward A.	7.90	Pratt, Nelson, Jr.	7.11
Fitzpatrick, Edward J.	3.95	Reddy, Clarence S.	23.70
Fitzpatrick, Edward J., Jr.	10.27	Russell, William J.	.79
Frates, Charles W.	4.74	Salvador, Bernard J.	2.37
Frates, Norman	2.37	Salvador, Bernard J., Jr.	2.37
Grassie, George	3.95	Salvador, Clarence W. B.	3.95
Grassie, Joseph	2.37	Salvador, Frank J.	12.66
Grassie, Patrick	2.37	Salvador, Manuel E.	2.37
Grassie, Stephen J.	.79	Shyne, John J., Jr.	.79
Haley, George E.	2.37	Shyne, Kevin	.79
Hammond, Stanley W.	6.33	Sidney, Ellery C. S.	3.16
Happenny, Leo	.79	Silvia, Charles F.	1.58
Hernan, Robert	1.58	Silvia, Joseph F.	.79
James, Eustis A.	.79	Silvia, Joseph M.	4.74
James, Ezekiel	1.58	Silvia, William B.	.79
James, John	.79	Smith, Charles J.	.79
James, Norman F.	10.27	Souther, Hatherly	7.11
Jednick, Frank	.79	Souther, John	7.11
Kelly, Robert	.79	Souther, Nathan	3.16
Kelly, William J.	.79	Spinzola, Anthony	1.58
Leonard, John J.	.79	Stevens, Malcolm H.	7.90
Lehr, Arthur	1.58	Stover, Charles R.	32.39
Lehr, Charles	.79	Stover, James	5.53
Lehr, Kenneth	3.95	Stover, William C.	2.37
Malley, E. Parker	84.53	Sullivan, Robert	.79
Martin, William J.	.79	Valine, George P.	.79
McLaughlin, John F.	1.58	Wheelwright, Frank S.	33.18
McNeil, Vincent A.	1.58	Wheelwright, John	38.71
Migliaccio, Frank J.	.79	Wheelwright, Walter C., Jr.	12.64
Migliaccio, Nicholas, Jr.	.79	Williams, Herbert, Sr.	2.37
Oliver, John J.	2.37		
Oliver, Joseph L.	34.76		$534.08

Town Dump Incidental Account

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Bates, Herbert	$42.66
Williams, Herbert, Sr.	27.00
	$69.66

Care of Brooks and Streams, Draining of Ponds Strait's Pond, James Brook, Cat Dam, etc.

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Almeida, Joseph W.	$12.66	Lincoln, Harry W.	30.86
Barrow, Richard	9.49	Maynard, Herman	28.48
Barrows, Robert	25.32	McAuliffe, Charles	18.99
Bates, J. Lewis	22.15	McMahon, Clarence	18.99
Bates, Royal A.	6.33	Neagle, Richard	6.33
Cadose, Foster	25.32	Oliver, John	12.66
Conroy, Joseph	6.33	Pattison, Harry	12.66
Coyne, Phillip W.	18.99	Powers, William J.	107.61
Davis, Edward	12.66	Ritter, Angus or Augustus	18.99
Gonsalves, Alfred	6.33	Rosano, Frank, Sr.	18.99
Grassie, John S.	31.65	Rosano, Frank	12.66
Grassie, Joseph J.	6.33	Souther, Donald	6.33
Grassie, Patrick	6.33	Souther, Hatherly	6.33
Grassie, Stephen	12.66	Stoddard, Charles R.	6.32
Grassie, Thomas F.	22.15	Tanger, Carlos	6.33
Haley, George E.	6.33	Tanger, George	6.33
Hammond, Stanley	22.15	Tilden, William	9.49
Jones, Warren W.	75.96	Valine, George P.	6.33
Kennedy, John	12.66		
			$676.48

Highways, General Maintenance, Including Tarring Streets

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$98.11	Dowding, William H.	44.31
Ainslie, Donald	6.33	Eastman, Henry R.	12.66
Barnes, John T.	110.77	Eastman, Henry R., Truck	384.00
Barnes, William T., Jr.	44.31	Edwards, William	12.66
Barrasso, Joseph	126.60	Emanuello, Frank J.	12.66
Bates, Royal A.	196.22	Faria, Edward F.	12.66
Cadose, Foster	264.25	Feola, H. N., Truck	344.00
Connery, John	31.65	Feola, Randolph, Truck	16.00
Coyne, Philip W.	1,186.87	Ferreira, Albert M.	12.66
Daley-Cronin, Inc., Steam Shovel	150.90	Figuereido, Lawrence A.	12.66
Davis, Edward N.	218.38	Gonsalves, Joseph	12.66
DelSasso, John J.	6.33	Grassie, John S.	11.06
Denithorne, James	401.95	Grassie, Patrick	44.31
		Grassie, Stephen J.	110.77

Grassie, Thomas F.	63.29
Hernan, Thomas W., Jr.	6.33
Hernan, Thomas	34.81
James, John F.	259.52
James, Percival N.	18.99
Jason, Charles R.	44.31
Jednick, Frank	329.15
Jones, Warren W.	702.61
Keegan, Ralph E.	37.98
Kennedy, John	117.10
Kohlmeyer, George	18.99
Laflamme, H. M.	37.97
Laugelli, Joseph	79.12
Laugelli, Walter, Truck	16.00
Laugelli, William	50.64
Litchfield, James A.	12.66
Martin, William J.	550.70
McAuliffe, Charles J.	1,142.56
Meallo, Frank	6.33
Meallo, William	6.33
Merritt, Herbert	6.33
Monk, Horace	6.33
Nardo, Vincent	6.33
Numes, Frank V.	316.50
Oliver, John	18.99
Pape, Charles F.	50.64
Pape, H. S., Truck	365.00
Pape, Robert S.	31.65
Perry, Frank	85.45
Powers, William J.	452.59
Rego, Frank	6.33
Ritter, Angus	12.66
Ritter, Harry H.	12.66
Ritter, John	6.33
Rooney, John F.	25.32
Rosano, Joseph W.	12.66
Rosano, Joseph W., Bulldozer	808.00
Ryan, Richard	6.33
Salvador, Frank	91.78
Sargent, Richard J.	6.33
Sargent, Stewart	6.33
Silvia, Joseph M.	18.99
Silvia, Joseph M., Truck	216.00
Silvia, Manuel P.	1,136.21
Smith, Charles J.	1,145.72
Sweeney, James M.	25.32
Tanger, George M.	136.09
Valine, George P.	151.92
Valine, Joseph	12.66
Varano, Bruno, Truck	456.00
Williams, Charles H., Jr.	94.95
Williams, Herbert, Jr.	6.33
Williams, Samuel H.	101.28
	$13,257.14

Highways, Snow and Ice Removal, Sanding Streets

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$37.97
Ahearn, Austin L., Jr.	6.33
Ainslie, John	4.74
Ainslie, Sherwood, Jr.	12.66
Andrews, Carlton W.	12.66
Andrews, Manuel	12.66
Antoine, Abraham, 3rd	6.33
Antoine, George E.	12.66
Bailey, Louis C., Plow	318.00
Bailey, Louis C., Truck	32.00
Bailey, Louis C., Jr.	22.15
Barnes, John T.	50.64
Barnes, William T., Truck	48.00
Barnes, William T., Tractor	356.00
Barnes, William T., Horses and Men	25.32
Barnes, William T., Jr.	18.99
Barrow, Edward	12.66
Barrow, Robert E.	12.66
Bates, Howard	9.49
Bates, Howard, Horses and Men	12.66
Bates, John S.	18.99
Bates, Joseph L.	6.33
Bates, Walter P.	12.66
Brasill, Clarence S.	25.32
Brown, Herbert	12.66
Brown, Merle	6.33
Bufalo, Gaetano	18.99
Cadose, Foster	44.31
Campbell, Eunice	12.66
Carpenter, Donald	3.16
Clark, Howard	6.33
Connery, John	22.15
Conte, Carmello	6.33
Conte, Vito	12.66
Coyne, Philip W.	496.90
Dalby, Alice	12.66
Deegan, Charles J.	63.30
DelSasso, John J.	6.33
DeMello, Joseph	18.99
Dolan, Frederick T.	3.16
Dolan, James	6.33
Douglas, Marshall E.	6.33
Dowding, William H.	66.46
Dunlap, George, Truck	8.00

Dunlap, George, Horses and Men	47.47
Eastman, Henry R., Truck	176.00
Eastman, Raymond, Truck	104.00
Emanuello, Anthony	6.33
Emanuello, John D., Jr.	12.66
Enos, Abraham S.	6.33
Enos, William D.	12.66
Faria, Edward	41.14
Feola, H. N., Truck	48.00
Feola, H. N., Plow	32.00
Feola, Randolph, Plow	148.00
Feola, Randolph, Truck	16.00
Ferreira, Albert	6.33
Ferreira, Milton	6.33
Ferris, Harry B.	6.33
Figuereido, Lawrence A.	25.32
Figuereido, Louis, Jr.	12.65
Figuereido, Robert	9.49
Fiori, Leo J.	9.49
Fitzpatrick, Edward J.	25.32
Fleming, John J.	6.33
Flint, Gorden	6.33
Frates, Charles, Truck	16.00
Frates, Norman	6.33
Froio, James	6.33
Froio, Rocco, Jr.	6.33
Gardner, Fred	12.66
Gonsalves, Alfred J., Jr.	6.33
Gonsalves, Alfred J. Sr.	6.33
Gonsalves, Joseph	25.32
Grassie, Ernest A.	25.32
Grassie, John S.	37.98
Grassie, Stephen J.	12.66
Grassie, Thomas F.	9.49
Hammond, Stanley	6.33
Happenny, Leo J.	31.64
Henry, Charles E.	6.33
Hernan, Thomas, Jr.	12.66
Higgins, Earl	6.33
Hines, Ralph F.	6.33
Ingram, George M.	12.66
Jacobson, Michael	12.66
Jacome, Edward P.	18.99
James, Ezekiel	6.33
James, Norman F.	34.81
James, Rufus A.	50.64
James, William	50.63
Jason, Charles E.	12.66
Jason, John L.	12.66
Jason, Kenneth R.	6.33
Jednick, George	12.65
Jerome, Thomas L.	6.33
Jones, Warren W.	28.48
Kearns, Oliver	12.66
Keefe, Robert	3.16
Keegan, Ralph H., Jr.	12.66
Kelley, Benjamin H.	18.99
Kelley, Robert	9.49
Kelley, William, Jr.	6.33
Kennedy, Charles H.	12.66
Kimball, John H.	6.33
Kohlmeyer, George	6.33
Laflamme, George	44.31
Laflamme, H. M.	75.96
LaRosa, Joseph	6.33
LaRosa, Sebastian	12.66
Laugelli, Joseph	69.62
Laugelli, Joseph, Jr.	3.16
Laugelli, Walter, Truck	8.00
Laugelli, William	15.82
Lawrence, Bernard	12.66
LeClair, Anslem	6.33
LeClair, Leighton	25.32
LeClair, Norman	18.99
LeClair, Walter	6.33
Leonard, Richard F.	12.66
Lincoln, Jerome C.	44.31
Lincoln, Lawrence F.	37.98
Litchfield, Donald	6.33
Litchfield, William	6.33
Longo, Lorenzo	6.33
Loppes, Eugene	12.66
MacLean, Walter, Plow	152.00
Marks, Manuel A.	18.99
Martin, William J.	12.66
Maynard, Herman	15.82
McArthur, William H.	12.66
McAuliffe, Charles	477.91
McAuliffe, William	12.66
McSweeney, Edward J.	12.66
Meehan, James	6.33
Meehan, Joseph L.	3.16
Meehan, Joseph W.	9.49
Merritt, Herbert	15.82
Mitchell, Russell	6.33
Monk, Horace W.	12.66
Nardo, Vito	6.33
Neagle, George R.	9.49
Neagle, Leo E., Sr.	6.33
Oliver, Richard P.	18.99
Oliver, Robert	25.32
Pape, Charles F.	41.14
Pape, H. S., Plow	280.00
Pape, H. S., Truck	30.00
Pape, Robert S.	25.32
Patterson, Paul	3.16
Pattison, Harry A.	12.66
Perry, Frank	12.66
Peterson, Lawrence	6.33

Polito, Frank	9.49
Pratt, Ira N.	12.66
Rego, Frank E.	12.66
Reid, William J.	3.16
Richards, Lyman, Jr.	6.33
Ritter, Angus N.	41.14
Ritter, Harry H.	25.32
Ritter, John	53.80
Rooney, Peter J., Truck	24.00
Rooney, Robert	15.82
Rooney, Stephen H.	6.33
Rosano, Francis J.	37.98
Rosano, Frank	6.33
Rosano, James W.	18.99
Rosano, James W., Truck	24.00
Rosano, Joseph W.	25.32
Rosano, Joseph W., Plow	276.00
Rosano, Rocco, Truck	24.00
Salvador, Frank A.	6.33
Salvador, Frank, Jr.	12.66
Sargent, Allen	7.91
Sargent, Chester H.	17.40
Sargent, Clifton	18.98
Sargent, Edgar S.	6.33
Sargent, Francis	6.33
Sargent, Raymond	12.66
Sargent, Richard	30.06
Sestito, Antonio	6.33
Sestito, V. V., Truck	24.00
Sidney, Ellery, C. S.	6.33
Sidney, Van R.	6.33
Signorelli, Veto	6.33
Signorelli, Veto	3.16
Signorelli, William	6.33
Silvia, Charles F.	6.33
Silvia, Clarence P.	12.66
Silvia, Joseph M.	12.66
Silvia, Joseph M., Truck	48.00
Silvia, Manuel P.	452.59
Sladen, John	6.33
Smith, Charles J.	465.25
Somerville, Wesley	6.33
Souther, Donald	3.16
Souther, Hatherley	3.16
Souther, Kenneth, Plow	252.00
Souther, Nathan	50.62
Stasik, Alfred	12.66
Stoddard, David	31.65
Stoddard, Sheldon B.	37.98
Stoughton, Ira B. P., Jr., Truck	32.00
Stoughton, Ira B. P., Jr., Tractor	280.00
Stover, Charles R., Plow	136.00
Stover, James E.	9.49
Stover, William E., Jr.	6.33
Strickland, Chauncey W.	12.66
Studley, Arnold	3.16
Studley, Clifford E.	12.66
Sweeney, John	6.33
Taft, William H., Jr.	3.16
Teel, Richard	6.33
Teel, Robert	6.33
Thayer, Charles	6.33
Tumey, Philip D.	34.81
Valine, George P.	18.99
Varano, Bruno, Truck	80.00
Weelwright, F. W. & Sons, Truck	24.00
Wheelwright, Walter C., Horses and Men	25.32
Wheelwright, Walter, Jr.	12.66
White, Richardson, Tractor	127.27
Whitemarsh, Charles	9.49
Whittemore, Philip	6.33
Williams Bros., Truck	64.00
Williams, Charles H., Jr.	15.82
Williams, John	6.33
Williams, Woodrow P.	6.33
Wood, Harry O.	12.66
	$8,127.51

Highways, Harbor Maintenance

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin, Jr.	$82.27
Antoine, Abraham J.	9.49
Antoine, Edward J.	525.37
Burdick, William	60.12
Burrell, Ralph	3.16
Figueiredo, Joseph	145.58
Figueiredo, William	15.81
Frates, Charles E.	50.63
Frates, Charles W.	3.16
Grassie, Joseph J.	44.31
Jason, Charles R.	3.16
Jason, Herbert L.	3.16
Reid, William J.	15.82
Salvador, Bernard J., Jr.	6.33
Stover, Charles R.	18.98
Stover, James	3.16
Stover, William, Jr.	3.16
Tanger, George	15.82
Wheelwright, John	3.16
Williams, Herbert, Jr.	44.29
	$1,056.94

Schools — Maintenance

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

School Committee, Expenses:

Financial Secretary:

Stevens, Malcolm H.	$115.00

Miscellaneous:

Franklin Publishing Company	3.00
The National Education Ass'n	2.52
	$120.52

General:

Superintendent:

Doyle, James W., Salary	$124.04
Ripley, William Jr., salary	2,215.36
Teachers' Retirement Fund, paid direct, for James W. Doyle, Chapter 419, Acts of 1943	32.50

Clerical Work:

McCarthy, Anna D.	266.16
Mulvey, Mary M.	961.00

Attendance Officer:

Pelletier, Hector J.	100.00

Stationery and Postage:

Ripley, William, Jr.	45.88

Telephones:

New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co.	341.46

Traveling Expenses:

Collins, Burditt W.	33.95
McNeil, Donald	5.64
Ripley, William, Jr.	76.77
Russell, Charles H.	2.30

Superintendent Expenses:

American Ass'n of School Adm.	5.00
Collins, Burditt W.	2.00
Ripley, William, Jr.	17.00
Nat. Ass'n of Secondary Schools	3.00

Out of State Travel:

Ripley, William, Jr.	94.72
	$4,326.78

Teachers' Salaries:

Ayers, Florence C.	$1,691.00
Bates, Margaret W.	208.89
Bates, Nathan W.	2,800.00
Berman, Joseph, Umpire	15.00
Burbank, Elsie M.	1,020.00
Casey, Eva B.	726.00
Clement, Stanley, Umpire	10.00
Cleverly, Gwendolyn	484.75
Cogan, Joseph, Umpire	7.50
Collins, Beatrice E.	616.00
Collins, Burditt W.	3,040.00
Curley, Mary E.	600.00
Dixon, Alice G.	680.00
Dixon, Alma J.	880.00
Doyle, James W.	124.02
Ericsson, Lydia B.	1,503.50
Fay, Marjorie	2,312.50
Felt, Ruth V.	1,559.25
Fisher, Karolyn R.	2,200.00
Furlong, C. Wellington	15.00
Gannon, George F.	170.91
Hudson, Helen L.	2,580.00
Jason, Otis R.	1,145.32
Kennedy, Elinor W.	1,631.00
Kraus, Florence E.	2,327.50
Lenehan, Marion	541.32
Leonard, Laura A.	2,105.70
Maloney, Muriel J.	963.84
Mass. Audubon Society	120.00
McCarthy, Anna D.	60.00
McMahon, Kathleen	2,179.30
McNeil, Donald	2,540.00
Meyer, Max H.	700.00
Mikkonen, Alma J.	80.00
Mulcahy, Catherine W.	88.62
Mulvey, Mary M.	65.00
Nelson, Mildred E.	2,294.00
O'Rourke, George, Umpire	7.50
O'Sullivan, Jane E.	1,580.00
Page, Oral, Umpire	10.00
Reed, Florence E.	2,327.50
Rhode, Eleanor	136.13
Rinehard Functional Handwriting System	500.00
Ripley, William, Jr.	2,215.39
Rogean, E. J., Umpire	10.00
Rosano, Anthony, Umpire	12.00
Russell, Charles H.	2,100.00
Sullivan, Mariona R.	2,152.45
Taylor, Frederick A.	1,328.25

Terry, Helen	1,885.70
Terry, Mary	2,294.00
Terry, Rosamond	726.00
Thompson, Gwendolyn	691.31
Tinker, Cecily F.	930.00
Verge, Robert, Umpire	10.00
Welch, Helen C.	2,150.50
Winslow, Louise A.	1,444.15
Woodfall, Sherman R.	10.00
Young, Gertrude E.	31.65
Teachers' Retirement Fund, paid direct, Chapter 419, Acts of 1943:	
Doyle, James W.	32.50
Jason, Otis R.	53.27
Jellison, Ruty	86.37
Rohde, Eleanor	43.25
Winslow, Louise A.	46.41
	$62,900.25

Text and Reference Books:

High and Elementary:

Allyn and Bacon	$61.11
American Book Company	214.65
Beckly-Cardy Company	49.35
Comm. of Massachusetts	17.31
Ginn and Company	75.96
Globe Book Company	37.88
Harper & Brothers	2.35
Heath, D. C. & Company	44.71
Holt, Henry and Company	2.47
Houghton Mifflin Company	3.39
International Textbook Co.	11.31
Iroquois Publishing Co., Inc.	24.23
Macmillan, The Company	96.11
Merrill, Charles E. Co., Inc.	11.45
Noble and Noble Publishers	17.68
Oxford Book Company	13.41
Rand McNally & Company	15.60
Scott Foresman & Company	76.27
The Declan X. McMillan Co.	.88
The Gregg Publishing Co.	3.50
The MacMillian Company	63.62
The Manual Arts Press	5.60
The L. W. Singer Company	75.15
Toothaker, O. H.	12.99
Union Bookbinding Co., Inc.	121.55
Webster Publishing Company	79.26
Wiley, John & Sons, Inc.	4.10
World Book Company	17.28
	$1,159.17

Supplies, including Heat for Cooking:

High and Elementary:

Allyn and Bacon	$7.09
American Education Press, Inc.	6.40
American Type Founders Sales, Corp.	25.53
Ampro Corporation	.61
Badger Fire Extinguishers Co.	14.16
Baker, Walter H. Co.	5.60
Beaudette & Company, Inc.	55.94
Beckly-Cardy Company	3.60
Bertram-Willoughby Pictures	5.10
Bostitch North-east Inc	37.55
Boston Printing Ink Co.	6.80
Boston University School of Education	.50
Brine, James W. Co., Inc.	225.36
Bristol, Elizabeth	15.64
Brockton Edison Company	462.65
Brodhead-Garrett Company	50.74
Browne's Short Shop	16.60
Bureau of Publication	4.66
Carter, Rice & Company	30.04
Chase, Parker & Co., Inc.	13.34
Cohasset Cleansers	33.00
Cohasset Hardware Co.	111.68
Cohasset News Company	23.09
College Entrance Examination Board	.50
Cooperative Test Service	27.64
Dick, A. B. Company	7.52
E. I. DePontdeNemours & Co.	2.17
Educators Progress Service	4.00
Fay, J. A. & Egan Co.	8.05
Fellowcrafters Incorporated	118.23
Fleming, Edward M.	132.89
Films, Incorporated	48.75
Fischer, Carl Inc., of Boston	1.22
Gates, Sidney S.	7.02
Ginn and Company	23.24
Hammett, J. L. Company	544.80
Handy, A. D. Co.	15.80
Homeyer, Charles W. & Co., Inc.	43.76
Horne, H. S. & Company	258.89
Houghton, Mifflin Company	57.71
Humphries, Bruce, Inc.	8.17
Hunter, J. B. Company, Inc.	33.45
Hagerty Company	7.20
Heaney Manufacturing Co.	3.00
Holt, Henry and Company	2.08
Howe & French, Inc.	2.76
Ideal Pictures Corp.	1.50
Int. Committee of Y. M. C. A.	4.35

Kimball, George E. & Son., Co.	188.33
La Crosse Board of Education	.50
LeVie	3.30
Litchfield's Express Co.	18.03
MacNeill & Clark, Inc.	.64
McKinley Publishing Company	2.00
McMahon, Kathleen	4.90
McNeil, Donald	5.00
Modern Blue Print Company	28.52
Nemasket Transportation Co.	2.44
New England Publishing Co.	2.75
New York Herald Tribune	1.88
N. Y. N. H. H. R. R. Co.	1.56
Nudd, Alice	5.00
Old Colony Gas Company	57.68
O'Neil, J. Richard Co.	5.28
Osgood-Globe Corporation	6.96
Partridge, Horace	62.68
Pascoe, George T. Co.	24.83
Popular Science Monthly	7.12
Porter-Cable Machine Co.	26.94
Prep	27.00
Railway Express Agency, Inc.	47.83
Reddy's Battery & Repair Shop	8.90
Ripley, William, Jr.	3.50
Royal Typewriter Company	128.50
Russell, Charles	9.26
Ruth's Dress Shoppe	1.98
Sanderson Brothers	289.59
Science Research Associates	204.53
Simonds Saw and Steel Co.	17.81
South Shore Cleansers & Dyers	106.70
South Shore Distributors	2.00
Sister Mary Gonzaga	2.62
Spaulding-Moss Company	98.00
Society for Visual Education, Inc.	11.08
The Athletic Journal	2.00
The Chemical Rubber Co.	142.41
The Gregg Publishing Co.	4.62
The John C. Winston Co.	5.19
The M. & N. Athletic Co.	46.67
The Nations School Publishin Co., Inc.	3.00
The National Education Associates	1.39
The MacMillan Company	35.12
Thorp & Martin Company	8.00
Towle Electrical Co., Inc.	2.18
Visual Education Service, Inc.	71.13
Westland, William & Company	120.64
World Book Company	51.88
Young America	11.55
Winde-McCormick & Chapin	156.08
	$4,597.88

Transportation:

High and Elementary:

Antoine, A. J.	$16.33
Antoine, A. J. 3rd	5.92
Barnes, Harold F.	52.29
Barrow, Edward	16.40
Bill's Service Station	8.95
Grassie, Edward F.	6.00
Jason, Edward R.	2,206.90
Meehan, Mrs. Joseph	28.70
Morse, Herbert E., Jr.	22.70
McNeil, Donald	3.36
McArthur, William H.	104.00
Wood, Harry O.	1,072.49
Wood, Harry O.	70.00
Wheelwright, F. W. & Sons	2,219.80
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	329.69
	$6,163.53

Janitor Services:

High and Elementary:

Ainslie, Sherwood, Jr.	$159.50
McArthur, William H.	2,145.00
Sladen, John E.	2,573.27
Wood, Harry O.	1,072.51
	$5,950.28

Lights:

High and Elementary:

Brockton Edison Company	$593.62

Fuel:

High and Elementary:

Anderson, J. C.	$204.80
Bates, Howard	12.50
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co.	1,308.35
Williams Bros.	18.00
	$1,543.65

Repairs:

High and Elementary:

Allen Brothers Corp.	$12.20
Bates, Herbert	686.89
Barbuto, Frank S.	91.65
Boston Janitors' Supply Co.	9.32
Campbell, D. S.	8.90
Cohasset Hardware Company	37.62

Detroit Surfacing Machine Co.	1.35
Dick, A. B. Company	6.72
Esgar, R. Rea	175.00
Fleming, Edward M.	21.71
Ford, William F., Jr.	98.75
Fulton, David J.	66.95
General Electric Company	15.18
Hagerty	.75
Hammett, J. L. Company	1.80
Hearsy Manufacturing Co.	35.00
Homeyer, Chas. W. & Co., Inc.	3.00
Hyland & McGaw	74.11
James, R. A.	109.15
Leonard, M. S.	859.16
LeClair, Benjamin	28.37
Lincoln, Levi T.	132.75
MacNeill & Clark, Inc.	283.56
Old Colony Gas Company	.30
Pemberton, Norman W. Inc.	280.04
Reddy's Battery & Repair Shop	37.05
Rooney, Stephen H.	36.00
Royal Typewriter Co., Inc.	12.00
Sargent, George F., Jr.	126.17
Silvia's Garage	3.25
Simonds Saw and Steel Co.	9.35
Swaney, C. R. Company	46.72
Telechron Inc.	2.60
The Commonwealth of Mass.	5.00
The Madison Paint Company	14.25
Town of Cohasset	24.95
Towle Electrical Co., Inc.	371.22
The Gamewell Company	120.73
W. C. Vaughn Company	149.00
Waterman, Charles A., Co.	14.65
	$4,013.17

Janitor Supplies:

High and Elementary:

American Floor Surfacing Machine Co.	$266.20
Andrews and Pierce Co.	1.08
Boston Janitors Supply Co.	105.12
Dolge, C. B. Company	22.40
Dowd, H. J. Company, Inc.	184.70
Fleming, Edward M.	1.15
First National Stores, Inc.	1.23
Ford, William F., Jr.	12.45
Heaney Manufacturing Co.	3.00
Munroe, D. F. Company	73.00
Reddy's Battery & Repair Shop	4.00
Reliable Chemical Products Co.	73.85
Waterman, Charles A. & Co.	14.58
Cohasset Hardware Company	54.14
	$816.90

Grounds:

High and Elementary:

Barnes, William T.	$57.16
Daun, John	10.00
Horton, Erwin S.	13.50
Mitchell, George F.	12.50
Reddy's Battery & Repair Shop	3.37
	$96.53

Furniture:

High and Elementary:

Hammett, J. L. Company	$130.30

New Equipment:

High and Elementary:

Chase, Parker & Co., Inc.	$3.59
Craft Service	13.00
Hammett, J. L. Company	34.35
Packard Machinery Co.	5.72
Terminal Machinery Company	32.50
Visual Education Service, Inc.	102.13
	$191.29

Diplomas and Graduations

High and Elementary:

Doyle, James W.	$25.00
Hammett, J. L. Company	40.86
Jackson Chairs	32.50
Sanderson Brothers	24.55
Sestito's Greenhouses	53.00
	$175.91

Insurance:

High and Elementary:

Barnes, Harold F., Agent for various local agents	$1,085.96

Compensation Insurance:

High and Elementary:

Brewer & Lord Company	$20.35
Vedeler, Mitchell and Gray	31.11
	$51.46

Cartage:

High and Elementary:

Litchfield Express Company	$4.12
William Bros.	52.25
	$56.37

Health:

High and Elementary:

Delory Drug	$29.37
Fernald, Marion S., M. D.	6.00
James, Fanny E.	1,090.24
Hinchcliffe, Frederick, M. D.	282.25
Reid, Howard S., M. D.	141.26
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	1.10
The Hospital Specialty Co.	45.00
	$1,595.22

Tuitions:

Trade School, Vocational:

City of Boston	$586.65
City of Quincy	135.16
Weymouth Vocational School	245.91
	$967.72

Total Expenditures	$96,536.51

Schools — Lunches

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Central Market	$425.96
Cohasset Hardware Company	6.89
Commonwealth of Mass.	12.80
Dowd, H. J. Company, Inc.	40.32
Enos, Lillian	1,067.00
Enos, Mary	1,397.00
First National Stores, Inc.	774.09
Hathaway Bakeries, Inc.	303.37
Heinz, H. J. Company	493.60
Hunt Potatoes Chip Company	185.60
Leonard, M. S.	269.23
Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co.	151.54
Megowan-Educator Food Co.	50.29
National Biscuit Co.	276.37
Nemasket Transportation Co.	17.95
Plymouth Rock Ice Cream	1,744.20
Sexton, John & Co.	1,547.68
Sunshine Biscuits	71.18
Weatherby, Marion	501.60
Wheelwright, F. W. & Sons	1,703.06
	$11,039.73

Town Commons and Parks

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Andrews, Carlton W.	$12.66
Eastman, Henry R.	6.33
Haley, George E.	183.56
James, Arthur F.	399.56
Litchfield, James A.	11.07
Monk, Horace W.	12.66
Nunes, Frank V.	269.00
Pina, Donald	6.33
Stoddard, David	18.98
	$920.15

Beechwood Ball Field

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Andrews, Carlton W.	$6.33
Faria, Edward	6.33
Feola, Randolph A.	31.65
Sargent, Chester H.	60.00
Williams, Samuel	25.32
	$129.63

Town Common Pond
Edith M. Bates Fund

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

James, Arthur F.	$35.60

Wheelwright Park

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Ahearn, Austin L.	$31.65	Neagle, George R.	25.32
Ainslie, Lawrence D.	58.55	Oliver, John J.	44.31
Andrews, Carlton W.	50.64	Oliver, Richard P.	6.33
Barrows, Richard P.	39.56	Powers, William J.	72.96
Brown, George W.	25.32	Pratt, Roscoe G.	167.20
Connery, John	31.65	Ritter, Angus N.	37.98
Conroy, Joseph S.	26.90	Rooney, John F.	9.49
Haley, George E.	6.33	Salvador, Frank J.	25.32
Hammond, Stanley W.	12.66	Souther, Donald	6.33
Hill, Harold E.	12.66	Souther, Hatherly L.	12.66
Jason, Charles E.	12.65	Stoddard, David W.	52.22
Jason, Kenneth R.	25.31	Sullivan, Ernest J.	12.66
Kennedy, Charles H.	37.97	Tumey, Philip D.	37.98
Kennedy, John	31.65	Valley, James K.	15.82
Maynard, Herman J.	12.66	Wheelwright, John W.	18.99
Monk, Horace W.	6.33		
Nardo, James	12.66		$980.72

Cedar Street Cemetery—Perpetual Care

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Andrews, Carlton W.	$6.33	
Nardo, James	3.16	$9.49

Milliken Field, Maintenance

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Keating, James M.	$373.45	Sullivan, Fred	$101.28
Smith, Charles J.	16.00		
Sullivan, Ernest	25.32		$516.05

Parking Place — Maintenance

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Davis, Edward N.	$25.32	Jones, Warren W.	18.99
DelSasso, John J.	12.66	Silvia, Manuel P.	75.96
Grassie, Thomas F.	44.31	Smith, Charles J.	75.96
James, John F.	25.32		
Jednick, Frank	37.98		$316.50

Town Guild Hall Building

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Litchfield, James A.	$6.33	
Stoddard, David	6.33	$12.66

Cemeteries, Maintenance

Names and Amounts as they appeared on the Pay Rolls.

Dolan, Fredeick T.	$136.09	Rosano, Frank	$18.99
Eastman, Henry	6.32		
Fisher, Edward A.	25.33		$186.73

STATE AUDIT

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Department of Corporations and Taxation
Divisions of Accounts
State House, Boston 33

January 27, 1947

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. Charles L. Stegmaier, Chairman
Cohasset, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Cohasset for the year ending December 31, 1946, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG
Director of Accounts

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Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House. Boston

Sir:

In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Cohasset for the year ending December 31, 1946, and submit the following report thereon:

The financial transactions, as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and reconciled with the books and reports in the town accountant's office and with the records of the town treasurer.

The town accountant's ledger was analyzed, the receipts being checked with the treasurer's books, while the payments were compared with the warrants authorizing them and with the treasurer's records of payments. The appropriation accounts were checked with the town clerk's records of town meeting proceedings and the recorded transfers from the reserve fund were verified by comparison with the records of the finance committee.

A trial balance was taken off, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on December 31, 1946. This balance sheet indicates that the town is in excellent financial condition.

The books and accounts of the treasurer were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded, were analyzed and checked with the records of the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the treasury, while the payments

were compared with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds. Cash book additions were verified and the cash balance on January 8, 1947 was proved by actual count of the cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the banks of deposit.

The payments made for maturing debt and interest were compared with the amounts falling due and with the cancelled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investment of the several trust and investment funds in the custody of the town treasurer and the treasurer of the trustees of the Cohasset Free Public Library were examined and listed. Securities in the custody of the treasurer of the directors of the Paul Pratt Library were listed and compared with the treasurer's records of receipts and disbursements, but actual examination of the securities was not made at this time owing to illness of the treasurer. The cash balances on all funds were verified, the income and disbursements were proved, and the transfers to the town were checked with the treasurer's recorded receipts.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and checked. The amounts transferred to the tax title account were compared with the tax books, while the reported redemptions were checked with the treasurer's cash book. Tax title transactions were further verified by comparison with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked. The taxes outstanding at the time of the previous examination and all subsequent commitments were audited and compared with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The payments to the treasurer were verified, the recorded abatements were checked with the assessors' records, the taxes transferred to the tax title account were proved, and the outstanding accounts were listed.

The records of departmental accounts receivable were examined and checked. The payments to the treasurer were compared with the treasurer's recorded receipts, the abatements were verified, and the outstanding accounts were listed.

Verifiication of the correctness of the outstanding tax and departmental accounts was obtained by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, the replies received thereto indicating that the outstanding accounts, as listed, are correct.

The financial accounts of the town clerk were examined. The collections on account of dog and sporting licenses issued were verified, the payments to the town being compared with the treasurer's recorded receipts and the payments to the State being compared with receipts on file.

The surety bonds of the town officials required to file them were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of licenses and permits issued by the selectmen and by the police and health departments, as well as the records of receipts of all other departments collecting money or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked, the reported payments to the town treasurer being compared with the treasurer's recorded receipts.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the

tax, tax title, and departmental accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust and investment funds.

For the cooperation extended by the various town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE,
Assistant Director of Accounts

HBD:CFB

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1946

Balance in treasury January 1, 1946		$139,427.54
Received from Collector of Taxes	$298,637.88	
Received from all other sources	139,608.65	
Total Receipts	$438,246.53	
		$438,246.53
		$577,674.07
Paid Selectmen's Warrants Nos. 1 to 83 inclusive		$413,768.39
Balance on hand December 31, 1946		$163,905.68

(Details of receipts and expenditures are contained in Town Accountant's Report)

RECONCILIATION OF CASH
December 31, 1946

Rockland Trust Company	$110,871.29	
Outstanding checks	14,138.92	
		$96,732.37
Webster & Atlas National Bank	64,379.30	
Outstanding checks	607.48	
		63,771.82
Cash and checks on hand (in office)		3,401.49
		$163,905.68

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE R. NOONAN,
Town Treasurer

REPORT OF COLLECTOR OF TAXES

1944 Real Estate			
Abatements in 1946			$1,578.00
Abatements after payment—refunded			1,578.00
1945 Personal — Real Estate — motor vehicle excise			
Outstanding December 31, 1945		$19,959.91	
Warrants 1945 Motor Vehicle Excise in 1946		39.34	
			$19,999.25
Collected and paid to Treasurer:			
Personal — Real Estate taxes		$19,578.03	
Motor Vehicle Excise		151.77	
Abatements	$1,419.55		
Abatements—refunded	1,250.85		
		168.70	
Added to Tax Title a/c		100.75	
			$19,999.25
1946 Commitments as per warrants:			
Pool — Personal — Real Estate Taxes		$272,736.79	
Motor Vehicle excise		5,936.91	
			$298,390.51
Collected and paid to Treasurer:			
Poll—Personal—Real Estate	$272,736.79		
Real Estate overpayment refunded	3.00		
		$272,733.79	
Motor Vehicle excise	5,622.93		
Overpayment refunded	1.00		
		5,621.93	
Abatements	$3,312.05		
Abatements—refunded	645.15		
		2,666.90	
Added to Tax Title a/c		23.41	
Outstanding December 31, 1946		17,344.48	
			$298,390.51

Total cash collected and paid to Treasurer:

Poll—Personal—Real Estate taxes and Motor Vehicle excise	$298,089.52
Interest	480.41
Costs	67.95
	$298,637.88

ELEANOR T. DOWNS,
Collector of Taxes

COHASSET REVISED JURY LIST

July 1, 1946

Name and Occupation	*Street Address*
Almeda, Walter B., promotion manager	South Main
Antoine, Abraham J., Jr., marine pipefitter	Elm Court
Bancroft, Hugh, Jr., farmer	Pond
Bates, Austin W., clerk	King
Bates, Howard, farmer	Beechwood
Bates, Thomas, insurance	Ripley Road
Bailey, Rutherford E., Jr., shipfitter	South Main
Binnian, Walter B., broker	Margin
Bishop, John, writer	Atlantic Avenue
Blackmur, Paul, insurance	Beach
Brasill, Clarence S., crossing tender	Beechwood
Burrell, Ralph C., lobster fisherman	Pleasant
Carleton, William J., insurance	Beechwood
Clark, Arthur L., plumber	Hull
Cohen, Moe E., merchant	Pond
Collins, James F., supervisor	Church
Conway, Frederick E., merchant	North Main
Cox, William C., executive	Margin
Crampton, George R., merchant	Rice Island
Cunningham, Spurgeon H., broker	Jerusalem Road
Dana, Frank F., caretaker	Atlantic Avenue
de Barrows, Antonio, shipworker	Hill
Deegan, Charles J., manager	Beechwood
Denithorne, James, laborer	Stockbridge
Desmond, Dennis, sexton	Spring
Dixon, Arthur J., clerk	Smith Place
Doble, Kendall D., manufacturer	Border
Dolan, John W., retired	North Main
Dunn, James T., salesman	King
Earle, Roland D., chemist	Cedar Lane
Emanuello, Anthony R., welder	Hull
Emery, John, investigator	Summer
Fahey, Joseph V., broker	South Main
Ferguson, Carl B., investments	Pond
Fletcher, Lawrence B., secretary	King
Froio, Rocco, iron worker	Hull
Hunt, C. Raymond, lobster fisherman	Atlantic Avenue
Kline, Leonard A., district manager	Bancroft Road
Lothrop, Thomas A., insurance	Summer
Malley, Edward P., electrician	Elm Court
Millar, John M., florist	South Main
Pagliaro, Frank, electrician	Hull
Putnam, Willard S., investments	Summer
Shyne, John W., engineer	Summer
Sladen, Donald E., carpenter	Ripley Road
Todd, Albert W., merchant	Jerusalem Road
Tower, Edward E., clerk	Highland Avenue
Watson, Louis G., sales manager	Border
Whittemore, J. Philip, carpenter	Beechwood
Wilson, James, gardener	South Main

REPORT OF COHASSET POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the Police Department of the Town of Cohasset for the year ending December 31, 1946.

Official Roster of the Department

Chief of Police, Hector J. Pelletier
Sergeant, Benjamin F. Curley

PATROLMEN

James J. Sullivan
John J. Rooney
Thomas B. Kane
Louis J. Simeone
Randolph A. Feola

SPECIAL OFFICERS

John T. Keating
Frank E. Jason
John J. Ferreira
Ralph S. Enos
Herbert E. Morse
Frederick W. Sullivan
Frank J. Migliaccio
George D. Carpenter
Austin L. Ahearn, Jr.
Edwin A. Peterson

Arrest Report

	Males	Females	Total
Assault and battery	2	2	4
Breaking and entering in the night time and larceny	1	—	1
Carrying a loaded revolver without a permit	1	—	1
Circulating a false alarm of fire	1	—	1
Default	1	—	1
Digging sea worms without a permit	4	—	4
Drunk	47	3	50
Escaped insane inmate	1	—	1
Going away after causing damage to property	1	—	1
Non-support of minor children	1	—	1
Habitual truant	1	—	1
Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor	8	—	8
Summons to show cause of assault and battery	1	1	2
Tramp	1	—	1
Using a motor vehicle without authority	1	—	1
Wilfully and maliciously attempt to burn a building	2	—	2
Wilfully and maliciously burning a building	1	—	1
Total	75	6	81

Disposition of Cases

Arrested on warrant, 5; arrested without warrant, 65; summoned by court, 11; released Chapter 135, General Laws, 37; non-residents, 27; held for trial, 43; guilty, 32; not guilty, 4; filed by order of the court, 13; dismissed for want of prosecution, 9; suspended sentence and probation, 7; sentenced to institutions, 2; turned over to State institution, 1.

Summary of Work Done by the Department

Accidents investigated, automobiles	95
Buildings found open and locked by police	134
Calls for inhalator	12
Cars stopped for violations and warned	245
Cars tagged for improper parking	220
Complaints received at headquarters	1,762
Defects in streets reported to Highway Department	42
Dogs injured by automobiles	10
Dogs killed by automobiles	5
Drowning	2
Duty calls from boxes	1,566
Fatal accident	1
Fire alarms answered	69
General orders issued to department	25
Hackney licenses issued	8
Hackney operator licenses issued	10
Horses hit by automobile	1
Licenses suspended for improper operation of motor vehicles	20
Lost property recovered, valued at	$237.00
Machine gun permits issued	2
Mileage of ambulance	2,889
Mileage of cruising cars	41,720
Motorists assisted	103
Number of days spent in Court by Officers	72
Oxygen tent calls	33
Permits to purchase fire arms	2
Permits to solicit funds	2
Permits to work on Lord's Day	6
Persons listed by Police Department, Chapter 440, Acts of 1938	
Males	1,186
Females	1,306
Total	2,492
Persons transported in ambulance	86
Persons transported to hospitals and doctor's offices in police cars	12
Radio messages sent out by this station	2,800
Restitution made in cases	$621.00
Revolver permits issued	28
Special attention requested by owners of unoccupied houses	55
Street lights reported out to Brockton Edison Company	420
Stolen property recovered by department, valued at	$2,025.00
Sudden deaths	2
Summer houses inspected	432
Summonses served	95
Total fines	$675.00

Conclusion

I recommend to our citizens that they do not hesitate in calling upon this department no matter how trivial the matter may be. They may rest assured that their complaints will be treated confidentially and with utmost courtesy.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the People of Cohasset I want to express my appreciation for the splendid co-operation given me in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HECTOR J. PELLETIER,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

The Assessors of the Town of Cohasset submit their report for 1946:

Total Valuation 1945		$9,429,606.00
Total Valuation 1946		9,352,792.00
Decrease in Valuation		76,814.00
(Less December Assessment)		425.00
		$76,389.00
Town Grant, Annual Town Meeting (including appropriations from Available funds, Deducted below)		$355,890.88
State Tax and Assessments:		
State Tax	$8,000.00	
State Parks and Reservations	243.85	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	317.52	
Nantasket Beach Maintenance	284.75	
		8,846.12
Underestimate of 1945:		
Nantasket Beach Maintenance		6.15
County Tax and Assessments:		
County Tax	11,305.50	
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	2,879.95	
		14,185.45
Underestimate of 1945:		
County Tax		707.89
Overlay of current year		8,419.02
Gross Amount to be raised		$388,055.51

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

Income Tax	$28,111.96
Corporation Taxes	14,389.93
Gasoline Tax under Acts of 1945, Chapter 719	7,681.76

Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	2,500.00	
Licenses	2,500.00	
Fines	25.00	
General Government	250.00	
Protection of Persons and Property	100.00	
Health and Sanitation	50.00	
Charities (other than federal grants for aid to dependent children)	1,300.00	
Old Age Assistance (other than federal Grants)	9,500.00	
Old Age Tax (Meals), General Laws, Chapter 64B,	758.48	
Soldiers' Benefits	50.00	
Schools	7,250.00	
Public Service Enterprises, No. Cohasset Post Office Building	158.00	
Cemeteries (other than trust funds and sale of lots)	350.00	
Interest (On Taxes and Assessments)	500.00	
Rentals	50.00	
Total Estimated Receipts	$75,525.13	
Overestimates of previous year to be used as available funds:		
State Parks and Reservations	61.23	
Available Funds, Voted at Town Meeting, to be used:		
Article 8. Use of Assessors in fixing tax rate	10,000.00	
Article 9. Dog Fund for Schools	744.71	
Article 10. Reserve Fund from Overlay surplus	5,000.00	
Article 27. Use of School Committee for school repairs and heating	1,000.00	
Article 38. Use of Selectmen for Town Hall expenses and heating	3,284.02	
Total Available Funds	20,089.96	
Total Estimated Receipts and Available Funds		95,615.09
Net Amount to be raised by taxation on Polls and Property		292,440.42
Number of Polls, 1,251 @ $2.00	$2,502.00	
Total valuation, Personal $805,677.00 @ $31.00	24,975.98	
Total valuation, Real $8,547,115.00 @ $31.00	264,960.57	
Gain on account of fractional divisions of tax rate	1.87	
		292,440.42
December Assessment		13.18
Total Amount of taxes listed in Collector's Commitment List, except Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise Warrants		$292,453.60
Amount of Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise		5,821.21

Number of Persons Assessed	1,524
Number of Polls Assessed	1,251
Number of Horses Assessed	41
Number of Cows Assessed	88
Number of Bulls Assessed	3

Number of Yearlings Assessed	1
Number of Heifers Assessed	15
Number of Swine Assessed	47
Number of Sheep Assessed	11
Number of Fowl Assessed	2,970
Number of Acres of Land Assessed	4,397
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed	1,073

ABATEMENTS OF TAXES DURING THE YEAR 1946

Levy of the Year 1944

Real Estate	$15.78

Levy of the Year 1945

Real Estate	1,405.85
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	13.70

Levy of the Year 1946

Real Estate	$2,198.30
Personal	226.30
Polls	736.00
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	151.45

Respectfully submitted,

DARIUS W. GILBERT,
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON,
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER,
Board of Assessors

REPORT OF COHASSET FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of the Fire and Forest Departments for the year ending December 31, 1946.

FIRE ALARMS AND FIRE LOSSES

Bell Alarms	83
Still Alarms	93
Total	176
Fires in buildings	40
Automobiles	11
Dump, Brush, Grass	71
Miscellaneous fires	1
Miscellaneous calls	18
Needless calls	6
Mutual Aid	16
False Alarms	9
Boat	1
Inhalator	3
Total	176

VALUE OF BUILDINGS AND CONTENTS

Buildings	Contents	Total
$239,425.00	#$72,550.00	$311,975.00
Automobiles $11,000.00		$11,000.00
Total		$322,975.00

Estimated

INSURANCE PAID

Buildings	Contents	Total
$35,685.52	$12,222.00	$47,907.52
Automobiles $504.00		504.00

Total Insurance Paid	$48,411.52
Total Uninsured Loss	5,410.00
Total Loss Insured and Uninsured	$53,821.52

CONDITION OF APPARATUS

Repairs have been made on all trucks. They are in good condition with the exception of Engine 3 which requires additional repairs to put it in proper condition.

Owing to strikes throughout the country in the past year and the lack of material, the delivery of the new ladder truck has been delayed. This truck should be delivered in the late spring.

INSPECTIONS

During the year, due to the increased fire losses in person and property throughout the country, the department was required to inspect public buildings and business places more frequently.

The state building inspector and this department made a careful inspection of all hotels, places of assembly, and other public buildings, and after certain conditions were corrected, the necessary permits were issued by the proper authorities.

The number of oil burners installed during the year exceeded the number installed in any previous year. Since every burner installed must be inspected before a permit is issued, this type of inspection has increased a great deal.

FOREST WARDEN

The total number of permits for outdoor fires issued during the year of 1946 was 954.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the citizens for the cooperation given this department in securing a permit before burning in the open air.

During the year two of the larger fire losses were caused by burning in an outdoor fireplace when conditions were extremely dangerous.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I would respectfully recommend for your consideration the following for the Fire Department:

1. The construction as soon as possible of a modern firc station to house the equipment and men now located at the Central Fire Station.

2. The purchase of a new one-and-a-half ton squad truck to replace the present truck now located at Central Station.

3. The purchase of a new 500 gallon pumping engine as soon as deliveries are more certain.

4. The painting of both the Central Station and the Beechwood Station. The paint is peeling off these stations, and they should be repainted to preserve the buildings and to improve the appearance of these stations.

In concluding my report, I wish to extend my thanks to the Honorable Board of Selectmen and the heads of the Town departments for their cooperation and assistance.

To the officers and members of this department, I wish to express my sincere thanks for their services and cooperation on all occasions during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. OLIVER,
Chief of Fire Department
Forest Warden

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Ladies and Gentlemen of Cohasset:

After every war there is a period of reconstruction. Your Town is no exception. As you will note from the treasurer's report, we are in excellent financial condition. However there is much to be done because during the war years the lack of materials and supplies just couldn't be obtained.

We refer particularly to the following:

The walls surrounding the harbor are in bad shape and repairs must be made immediately to avoid greater costs if this work is delayed. A new float for the town landing is recommended to replace one that has passed its usefulness.

The Milliken Field fieldhouse which was built at considerable cost had to be neglected during the war years. This past year we had a patching job done on the outer surface to prevent the structure from falling to pieces. The locker room below the grandstand has never been finished and because of the constant use of this field, we recommend that the town appropriate sufficient funds to finish this job.

The Town Hall and several town offices have not been painted for fifteen years and should be done this year. The Massachusetts Department of Public Safety has condemned the ropes on the stage and these must be replaced.

Although the title to Government Island hasn't been received at this writing, we expect by town meeting day that this title will be received. The Committee will report on this at the annual town meeting.

This board has tried to keep in tune with the times by recognizing the needs of recreation for our children. In this respect and through the generosity of the Cohasset Water Company, we had constructed, at no cost to the town, a skating rink on their property known as the Elm Meadow. That this has proved popular can be attested by the number of children that have used it. We also have had many requests from mothers of young children to see if something could be done to fix the pond on the Common so it will hold water. Because of leakage it is impossible to keep water sufficient enough for skating. We heartily recommend that the town take action to remedy this leak.

The Gulf Mill Bridge on Border Street is badly in need of repairs. Your Selectmen contacted the County Commissioners and they had their engineer make a survey. His report to the County Commissioners stated that capping and general repairs are a necessity. The cost of these repairs is $1,500.00. Acting favorably upon our application the County Commissioners and the Department of Public Works have appropriated $500.00 each with the proviso that the town appropriate $500.00. There is an article in the warrant for this which we recommend you to act favorably upon.

Because our town has never had an official welcome home to her 550 veterans of this past war, on behalf of its citizens we take this opportunity to extend to these gallant men and women a sincere thanks for a job well done. Our boys and girls fought on all the battlefields of the world and their individual records would take volumes to relate. Suffice to say, we are indeed proud of all of them and officially say "Welcome Home."

And to those gallant heroes who made the supreme sacrifice, words are indeed inadequate, but the momory of these heroes will always be with us and will be perpetuated forever. "Greater love hath no man than this, that he lay down his life for his country."

A citation received from Governor Maurice J. Tobin reads as follows: "In appreciation of their unselfish and patriotic service to community, state and nation during the country's war emergency, this Certificate of Merit is awarded the officers and enlisted men of 17th Co., 26 Infantry, Mass State Guard. Signed, Maurice J. Tobin, Governor." To Captain Robert J. Hill, officers and men, we extend the thanks of the town for their duty during the emergency. This citation may be seen at the Selectmen's office. To all civilian defense workers, the Red Cross, their motor corps and canteen, the Air Raid Wardens, Coast Guard Auxiliary, Police and Fire Departments and their auxiliaries, by their coordinated efforts were prepared and ready for any emergency. And during the war years no one contributed more to the health and safety of this community than Doctors Marion S. Fernall, Frederick Hinchcliffe, John P. Reardon and Edward H. Schott, Sr. Well done ladies and gentlemen.

We wish to thank the Garden Club of Cohasset for their gift of the tree on the Common which is the first to be planted in memory of those who gave their lives during the recent conflict. They are to be commended for their thoughtfulness, and program of planting new trees to replace those that were destroyed by storms, etc.

We earnestly request you to read carefully the reports of the various department heads and their recommendations. There has been complete harmony between this office and the town hall employees and department heads both appointed and elected. The planning board has worked hard and diligently with this office which will result in a program that is bound to bring results. The Finance Committee has worked throughout the year and are doing a fine job.

This board is unanimous in their thanks to our Town Counsel Mr. Thayer for his great assistance this year. Because legal matters have increased tremendously, Mr. Thayer has spent more time in behalf of this town than ever before.

We have taken great pride in the conditions of our Common and Parks and shall continue to improve them as promptly as conditions permit.

During this past year, not only cooperation of all town employees but many helpful suggestions by numerous citizens has been very helpful to this board. In this spirit of cooperation we look to the future to keep "building" Cohasset to the betterment of our town and its citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. STEGMAIER
DARIUS W. GILBERT
IRA B. P. STOUGHTON

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Voters of Cohasset:

Contagious diseases reported to the Board of Health during the year of 1946 were as follows:

Chicken Pox	7
Dog Bite	22
Measles	18
Mumps	43
Scarlet Fever	3
Menengitis	2
German Measles	4
Lobar Pneumonia	1

Sixty burial (or removal) permits were issued. Other permits issued were as follows: One Funeral Director; One for the Manufacture or bottling carbonated non-alcoholic beverages; one for the collection of contents of privies or cesspools; four for the collection of refuse and garbage; twenty-two milk licenses and two for the maintenance of pasteurization plants.

Over 150 complaints were received during the year. Included in the list were violations of quarantine regulations, dog bites, cess-pools, flooded cellars, piggeries, food, etc.

Annual Clinics conducted under the direction of the Board in conjunction with the District Nurse and Social Service League were the combined Diphtheria and Whooping Cough Clinics and the monthly Well Baby Clinic. A detailed list of the number of Clinics held and children immunized will be found in the detailed report of the District Nurse which follows.

A Tuberculosis X-Ray Clinic was inaugurated this year by this Department. Held at the Community Center for two consecutive days, the Mobile X-Ray Unit and Staff of the Norfolk County Hospital X-rayed 359 residents of the Town. Further details are incorporated in the Social Service and District Nurses' report. Incidentally, it was the first Clinic of its kind held in Norfolk County.

Brooks and streams were kept free of debris, brush, etc., and in needed places, widened and leveled. Replacements at the flood-gate at the Cove was necessary and a new under-ground wooden culvert was installed adjacent to Treats Pond in an effort to eliminate the flooded conditions existing along Atlantic Avenue.

Periodic inspection of dairies were made and samples of milk sold in the Town were collected for analysis by the Board of Health Milk Inspector, Mr. Charles E. Frates.

A new portable pump was purchased the past year to supplement the pump required eight years ago. The pumps, under the supervision of Mr. Charles Stoddard, are used for fire protection at the Town Dump, flooded cellars and contaminated wells.

The report of the District Nurse, included in the report of the Social Service League Nursing Service follows, preceeded by the report of the School Dentist.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHANIEL HURWITZ, Chairman
EDWARD E. TOWER, Secretary
FRED W. SULLIVAN

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DENTIST

To the Board of Health:

Gentlemen:

The following report on the work accomplished at the Ripley Road School Dental Clinic is submitted for the period from January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946.

Restorations	
Permanent silver (with and without cement base)	574
Synthetic porcelain	69
Red copper cement	36
Anodyne temporary	48
Extractions	
Deciduous Teeth	126
Permanent Teeth	33
Prophylactic Treatments	172
Gum Treatments	15
Examinations including Insurance Surveys	92

Working along with recent developments in the study of the prevalence of dental decay and its control by the use of fluorine, a definite program of treatments was instituted in October with the aid of the school nurse. The plan is to see that each child who uses the school dentist receives three fluorine treatments in the course of the school year.

It has been proven by research during the past five years that children living in communities with a higher fluorine content in the water supply had markedly less dental decay than those living in communities with a lower concentration. The mechanism whereby this element contributes to the decrease in decay is thought to be primarily one of increased fluorine content in tooth enamel, thereby making the tooth structure less soluble in acids. Also, in an environment of fluorine the invading bacteria of the mouth are rendered less active.

The water supply in Cohasset, as in most towns along the eastern seaboard, is very low in fluorine content, namely, fifteen hundredths parts per million. We hope that by the direct application of 2% sodium fluoride solution to the teeth that over a period of years about 40% of the active decay in children under 12 years of age will be abated. Of course, the use of fluorine in the prevention of dental caries is still in an experimental stage, but in view of the results of the studies made in other towns and cities, we feel that it is worth consideration here in Cohasset.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. MATTESON, D. M. D.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE
RED CROSS NURSING SERVICE

STATISTICAL REPORT:

	1946		1945	
	Visits	Cases	Visits	Cases
MATERNITY CASES:				
Antepartum	187	35	168	39
Postpartum	95	43	80	41
MORBIDITY SERVICE:				
Non-communicable	1412	138	1452	185
Acute communicable	136	69	92	51
Syphilis	3	1	—	—
Tuberculosis	121	4	104	1
Other communicable	1	1	—	—
CRIPPLE CHILDREN'S SERVICE:	12	2	10	2
HEALTH SERVICES:				
Newborn	68	33	57	27
Infant	270	58	343	83
Pre-school	462	136	557	160
School	149	38	154	43
Adult	151	48	187	57
Immunization	79	67	104	90
Tuberculosis	12	—	29	23
Social Service	43	7	23	11
Community Health Program	192	359	—	—
UNCLASSIFIED SERVICE:				
Field visits to cases not home or not found.	60	—	79	—
TOTALS	3453	1039	3439	813
TYPE OF PAYMENT:				
Pay	855	57	738	64
Part Pay	23	4	29	2
Social Service League	437	51	440	87
John Hancock Ins.	45	9	32	8
Metropolitan Life Ins.	30	7	73	12
Board of Health	1854	895	1842	626
Old Age Assistance	204	11	268	14
Welfare	5	5	—	—
TOTALS	3453	1039	3432	813

The Board of Health is charged for visits of health supervision to maternity patients, cripple children, newborn infants, pre-school and school children, adults, immunization check-up and visits made in connection with the Community Health Education program, for health supervision of acute communicable diseases and tuberculosis.

Visits made to Old Age Assistance patients are charged to the Old Age Assistance. Visits made to patients on welfare are charged to the Department of Public Welfare. Visits to patients who have certain types of policies with the Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company and the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company are entitled to a limited number of nursing visits for which the Company pays.

The Social Service League is charged for all free visits for bedside care and all Social Service visits made by the nurses.

The Nursing Service has applied for a contract with the Veterans Administration and we hope to be able to extend our service to our veterans and their families within a few months.

Due to illness early in the year, Mrs. Rosemary MacIsaacs gave up duty. For two months, Miss Agnes Weir carried the entire case load, which was a heavy one. Cohasset is indeed fortunate to have as loyal and competent a nurse as Miss Weir in their service. On April 1st, Mrs. Olive Wheeler, R. N., was employed for the duration of Mrs. MacIsaacs leave of absence. In June, Mrs. MacIsaacs tended her resignation and Mrs. Wheeler became the full-time nurse of Cohasset.

On January 8th, Miss Margaret Anderson started her work as Nutritionist for the Social Service League. Her services are available to all without charge. Due to poor health, Miss Miriam Goodrich, Social Worker, resigned from the League. Mrs. Dwight Simpson and Mrs. Benjamin Manton carried on this work until Mrs. Frances Wright of Hingham was employed to fill the vacancy.

During the past few years, the trend of the community nurses program has been changing. The number of men turned down by the examining boards of the armed services proved that many minor dys-functions of the people in our communities were being overlooked, and thus developing into major defects. As a result, clinics have been established for mass case-finding, and a more active program of health education has been developed. It is as much a part of the work of the community nurse to help people maintain their health as it is to care for them when ill. With this explanation as a background, the following reports of work completed in Cohasset during the past year are submitted:

WELL-CHILD CONFERENCE:

The Well-Child Conference is held the first Tuesday in each month at 2 p. m. at the Community Center with Dr. Stewart Clifford, visiting pediatrician. This service is free to all residents of Cohasset. A charge of one dollar is made for out-of-town children attending the conference.

	1946		1945	
	New Case	Re-visits	New Case	Re-visits
Infants	74	226	64	—
Pre-school	31	36	31	—
Total Attendance	367		233	

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC — SPRING, 1946:

Seventy-four families were contacted regarding immunization of their children. Health authorities recommend that every child be immunized against Whooping Cough, Diphtheria, Tetnus and Small Pox between the ages of 6 months to 1 year.

COMPLETED — LOCAL CLINIC:

31 Children received three injections of combined Whooping Cough and Diphtheria immunizations.
8 Children received three injections of Whooping Cough immunizations.
2 Children received three injections of Diphtheria Toxoid.
1 Child received one injection of Diphtheria Toxoid (Booster Shot).

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INCOMPLETE — LOCAL CLINIC:

2 Children received one injection of combined Whooping Cough and Diphtheria immunization.
1 Child received one injection of combined immunization (moved out of town).
1 Child received one injection of combined immunization (transferred to family physician).

4

TOTAL TREATED AT CLINIC — 46 CHILDREN.

Twenty children received immunization injections from family physicians. Ten children whose parents were not interested in the immunization program, were re-visited in 1946. There were several inquiries about a special immunization clinic during the Fall months. The local health authorities did not think community conditions required an extra clinic and recommended all interested parents take their children to their family physicians for the necessary protection.

COMMUNITY HEALTH EDUCATION AND X-RAY PROGRAM:

The Cohasset Board of Health and Nursing Service sponsored the Community Health Education and X-Ray program of October and November, the Norfolk County Health Association and State Department of Public Health cooperating. Mrs. John Shyne was appointed Chairman of the Health Committee. Educational material and posters on Heart, Rheumatic Fever, Cancer and Tuberculosis were placed in many of the local stores and the Library, as well as application blanks for free chest X-Rays. One hundred and sixty-nine new contacts were made by the nurses during the five-week educational period. Seven speaking engagements were made at local organizations by Mrs. Virginia Acland of the Norfolk County Health Association. On October 29th, an open meeting was held at the Community Center with the following speakers, all men:

Dr. Otto Yen, Rheumatic Fever
Dr. Robert Ober, Cancer
Dr. Francis Denny, Tuberculosis

These gentlemen are all authorities on their respective subjects. It is regrettable that more of the townspeople did not hear these men speak.

THE X-RAY CLINIC — conducted by a unit from the Norfolk County Hospital, was held November 7th (9 a. m. to 4:45 p. m.) and November 8th (4 p. m. to 9:30 p. m.) The unit was assisted by Mrs. Acland of the Norfolk County Health Association, Miss Agnes Weir, Mrs. Olive Wheeler, members of the Cohasset Health Committee and other volunteer workers.

STATISTICAL REPORT:

NUMBER X-RAYED: 359 (39 students — all negative).

Diagnosed as active pulmonary tuberculosis	0
Diagnosed as suspected pulmonary turberculosis	5
Diagnosed as cardiac abnormalties	2
Diagnosed as other conditions	2
Unsatisfactory	2

Reports were sent to each individual patient. In cases of suspected tuberculosis, heart or other conditions, a letter was sent to the patient and a report of the X-Ray with recommendations to the family physician. Free re-examination has been offered the two patients having unsatisfactory plates.

As all reports are strictly condential, it is our hope that those patients who received letters requesting consultations with their family physicians have done so. It is only by cooperation of these patients that our Health Program will prove to be really successful.

We extend our grateful appreciation and thanks to the members of the Cohasset Health Committee, volunteer workers and merchants for their cooperation and assistance, which contributed a great deal to the success and efficiency of the program.

TUBERCULOSIS STATUS IN COHASSET:

There are now three known cases of active tuberculosis in Cohasset. Three patients have become arrested cases during the past year.

We urge all patients who are arrested cases of tuberculosis to avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the Out-Patient Clinic of the Norfolk County Hospital at Braintree, Mass., or other clinic at least once each year and more often if so recommended by your physician. The local Board of Health will provide transportation for anyone desiring an X-Ray at the Braintree Clinic which is held every Tuesday morning from 8 a. m. to 12 noon.

Seven teachers were X-Rayed by special appointment during the Spring of 1946, results of which were all negative.

Seven contacts with active cases have been examined during the year and found to be negative.

TRANSPORTATION TO CLINICS, ETC.:

The reorganized committee of Social Service League Transportation and Red Cross Motor Corps drivers have given generously of their time and energies during the past year. The Nursing Service is deeply grateful for the cooperation.

Mrs. Clark Young, Chairman, Social Service League Transportation.

Mrs. J. Bradley Scott, Chairman, Red Cross Motor Corps.

Mrs. Paul Blackmur, Vice-Chairman, Red Cross Motor Corps.

Mrs. Roger Coulter arranges for all transportation for Well-Child Conferences.

The following trips were made during 1946:

Destination:	S. S.	L.	ARC Motor Corps	Train with Trans. to & From Trains	Nurse	Own Trans.	Total
Mass. General Hospital	1		19	18		8	46
Children's Hospital			3			8	11
Boston Lying-In Hospital			3			1	4
Lahey Clinic						1	1
Mass. Memorial Hospital			4				4
Speech Clinic (Brockton)			2				2
Child Guidance (Brockton)			4			1	5
Pondville Sanitarium			1			2	3
Norfolk County Hospital			2				2
Chelsea Naval Hospital						5	5
Cripple Children's Clinic (Brockton)			1				1
Private Pyhsicians	4		3		1		8
Patient to Hingham					1		1
Legal Aid (Boston) (3 trips—Social Service Worker)							3
Quincy Rest Home (2 trips—Police Ambulance)							2
					TOTAL		98

NUMBER OF PATIENTS ATTENDING CLINICS:

Massachusetts General Hospital	10
Children's Hospital	8
Boston Lying-In Hospital	6
Lahey Clinic	1
Massachusetts Memorial Hospital	1
Speech Clinic (Brockton)	3
Child Guidance (Quincy)	2
Crippled Child Clinic (Brockton)	1
Pondville State Hospital	2
Norfolk County Hospital	11
Chelsea Naval Hospital	1
TOTAL	46

MRS. CLOYES' NURSERY SCHOOL:

During the year, the Public Health Nurses have acted as health consultant to Mrs. Cloyes and all children inspected who were referred by her.

NUMBER OF CHILDREN EXAMINED: 7

(4 sent home; 2 remained in school; 1 transported to M. D. office for treatment and returned to school.)

I wish to express my appreciation to the many individuals who have contributed to the Nursing Service with their time, energy and good advice. I particularly wish to express my thanks to Mrs. Roland Earle, President

of the Social Service League, and her Board of Directors, members of the Nursing Committee, Mr. Hurwitz, Chairman of the Board of Health, and to Miss Weir and Mrs. MacIsaacs for their spirit of friendliness with which they received me nine months ago, and for the splendid cooperation I have received. I have enjoyed my work with the people of Cohasset and am looking forward to the work of 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

(MRS.) OLIVE WHEELER, R. N.

NURSING COMMITTEE:

Mrs. John Shyne, Chairman (January-May, 1946)
Mrs. Lanford Warren, Chairman (June-December, 1946)
Mrs. James Knox, Secretary
Mrs. Elmer Pratt
Mrs. Paul Blackmur
Mrs. Roger Coulter
Mrs. John Dean
Mrs. Frank Pagliarro

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

January 9, 1947

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Cohasset, Mass.

Dear Sirs:

I submit herewith my report as Sealer of Weights & Measures for the year ending December 31, 1946.

The number of weighing and measuring appliances sealed was 225 of which 10 were adjusted.

The sealing fees collected amouted to $45.11 which was paid to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

REGINALD R. BEAL,
Sealer of Weights and Measures

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE AND BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

During the year there were twelve cases receiving assistance under General Relief, an increase of eight cases since December 31, 1945. Two of the cases were unsettled or State cases, and total reimbursement received from the State Department. One case was transferred to Aid to Dependent Children, and in this category the Federal Government as well as the State participate. Several cases were supplemented for a short period. On December 31st there were six active cases.

The District Nurse reports a total of 5 visits.

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

There were five cases receiving aid under this category during the year. Four widows and one divorced, with total of 15 children. Owing to increase in budget, as the children become older (up to 18 if attending school) and increase of two cases over last year the total aid this year was $4,075.80 as against $2,767.94 last year. The Federal reimbursement amounted to $937.50 and the State reimbursement amounted to $1,000.42. In October, 1946, the amount of Federal reimbursement was increased. The new federal matching maximum on Aid to Dependent Children is $24.00 monthly for the first eligible child, and $15.00 monthly for each additional eligible child. These amounts formerly were $18.00 for the first child and $12.00 for each additional child.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

During the year there were 56 cases receiving Old Age Assistance. On January 1, 1946 there were 46 active cases, 14 cases were closed and 12 added, leaving total of 44 active cases December 31, 1946. Of the 14 cases closed, 7 died, 5 moved out of town and 2 became self-supporting. On January 1, 1946, the law became effective providing for a material increase in the amount of exempted income of the children and in April the food and fuel items in the budget were increased. Total aid for the year was 28,508.22 as against $24,367.18 in 1945. The Federal reimbursement amounted to $10,477.21 and the State reimbursement amounted to $11,677.56. Other cities and towns reimbursed $378.23. A recovery of $1200 was received from the estate of a deceased recipient of Old Age Assistance.

October 3, 1946, the amount of Federal matching maximum was increased to $45.00 a month. This was formerly $40.00 per month.

The District Nurse reports a total of 204 visits.

We wish to thank Miss Oliver, all individuals and Town Departments who have assisted us especially the District Nurses who have been very helpful.

Please refer to Accountant's report for financial detail.

Respectfully submitted,

IRA B. P. STOUGHTON,
DARIUS W. GILBERT,
CHAS. L. STEGMAIER,
Board of Public Welfare
Bureau of Old Age Assistance

REPORT OF TREE WARDEN

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

I wish to express my appreciation for the splendid cooperation accorded this department by the citizens of Cohasset.

During the past year, the Tree Department has been called on for an extraordinary amount of work in the preservation of the Shade and Ornamental trees within the Town. A complete program of pruning and surgery was completed and the result is apparent in the improved growth and appearance, especially in the ornamental groups.

Several large, dead and seriously decayed trees that were a menace to the public were removed. Many large overhanging limbs were removed wherever even a possibility of a hazard was deemed to exist and calls from interested citizens were investigated and attended to.

Replacement of many trees that have been removed or destroyed over a period of years is desirable. Heretofore, it was not considered expedient to request an amount for this purpose, but if Cohasset highways and smaller parks are to retain their previous well ordered tree grouping, a definite program of replacement is necessary.

In closing I wish to thank the Town Officials and especially the members of the Cohasset Garden Club for the helpful suggestions that have contributed to the success of the Tree Department.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSCOE G. PRATT,
Tree Warden

REPORT OF MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Following my appointment as Moth Superintendent, the successful program of insect control of the previous year was continued with intensive creosoting of infested areas and a planned schedule of spraying that started in May.

The Gypsy Moth continues to be a major problem due to infestation from sections beyond my jurisdiction. Contributing factors, in any well set up program of Moth Control, are the many varieties of boring and sucking insects; these include: Web Worms, fall and spring, Inch Worm, Tent Caterpillar, Leopard Moth, Red Ants and many others that all require different measures of control.

It is my belief that the overlapping program of spraying planned for this year will effectually control the Elm Beetle that has infested the entire State in recent years.

In the group of poison ivy and other selective poisonous vines eradicants 214-D (2, 4 — dichlorophenoxyacetic acid still leads the field.

It has been a pleasure to assist the many interested Citizens in their problems of insect control and it is my hope that this interest will become apparent when the needs of the Moth Department are considered at the Town Meeting.

In conclusion, I wish to thank your Honorable Board and Cohasset Citizens for the loyal co-operation afforded this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSCOE G. PRATT,
Moth Superintendent

REPORT OF THE COHASSET PLANNING BOARD

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

During the calendar year, the Board has met regularly in the Town Hall on the first Monday in each month. In addition to the twelve regular meetings, there have been many special meetings.

Several matters have been considered and acted on by the Board. Among those of importance were a new Master Plan of the Town, Government Island, purchase of which was recommended, Traffic Conditions on Hull Street, Playground Facilities for the North Cohasset Area, a War Memorial, a New High School, the site ultimately chosen was recommended by the Board, and Zoning.

The Board received several requests for recommendations from the Board of Selectmen and on occasion, met jointly with them during the year.

Matters currently under consideration by the Board, are revision of Sub-division Regulations, Depot Avenue — a much travelled highway completely owned by the New Haven Railroad, and a Zoning By-Law.

With respect to Zoning, the Board is of the opinion that adoption of such a by-law is long overdue and presently proposes to submit a set of zoning regulations to a Town Meeting. It is alarming to note that in the Metropolitan Area, with one exception, Cohasset is the only city or town not protected by zoning.

The Town is faced with the need for many physical improvements. This need has been obvious for some time, but the war, scarcity of materials, restrictive regulations and many other factors, have retarded if not prohibited desired action. Among the more obvious projects are a new High School, a new Fire Station, a new Police Station, improved Playground Facilities, a War Memorial and prospective Development of Government Island.

How to finance these projects becomes a matter of deep concern when we take into consideration the high costs of construction, current efforts to increase the salaries of town employees and increased pay for school teachers. To try and accomplish all of these projects at once would unquestionably result in a tremendous tax increase to the citizens. For this reason, it is believed that there should be

1. Orderly progression or priority, based on needs.
2. Consideration of future needs against ability to pay.
3. A stabilization of future financing and future taxes.

With different groups fostering different projects, too often a stalemate is encountered at Town Meeting and nothing is accomplished. What is needed is physical and financial planning, worked out over a period of years.

It is recommended, therefore, that the points raised above be the subject of joint study by the Planning Board and the Finance Committee.

The Board wishes to express its appreciation of the cooperation it has received from Town Officials, particularly the Board of Selectmen.

THE PLANNING BOARD

PAUL BLACKMUR, Secretary

January 20, 1947.

REPORT OF THE WATER INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE

February 5, 1947

At the Annual Town Meeting held March 2, 1946 the Town voted that this Committee be authorized on behalf of the Town to employ any or all proper and lawful means to take and secure the franchise, corporate property and all the rights, powers and privileges of the Cohasset Water Company. This vote was passed 403 to 63. In pursuance of this vote and in accordance with the provision of the charter of the Cohasset Water Company your Committee then endeavored to negotiate with the officials of the water company in an attempt to effect a purchase by agreement if possible. These negotiations failed.

After numerous conferences with the water company officials at some of which your Selectmen were present and at others the Committee with the Town Counsel an interim agreement was entered into with the water company by the Committee. This agreement provides for the normal, continuing operation of the system by the present management for the Town under the supervision of your Committee pending the outcome of litigation instituted by the Cohasset Water Company and hereafter referred to.

In the meantime, the Town had filed a petition with the General Court providing for the purchase and operation of the water property for the Town of Cohasset. The Act took effect upon its passage June 8, 1946.

The Cohasset Water Company instituted litigation last Spring in the Superior Court which after a hearing was later reported by the Superior Court to the Supreme Judicial Court, the court of last resort in the Commonwealth.

The issues involved are as follows:

1. Whether or not the vote March 2, 1946, passed 403 to 63, was legal and valid.
2. Whether if said vote was legal and valid, title to the water company forthwith passed to the Town of Cohasset or would pass only when payment is actually made.
3. What the respective rights and obligations are of the Cohasset Water Company and the Town with respect to the operation of business be-

tween the date of the vote and the date when the Town actually pays the purchase price.

4. Whether or not the purchase included bills receivable, cash on hand and in banks.

5. Whether or not the Department of Public Utilities in the hearing and determination of the value of the franchise, corporate property rights, poers and privileges of the Cohasset Water Company may make its own independent investigation outside the hearings or must proceed as a purely judicial tribunal in accordance with judicial procedure solely upon evidence submitted by the parties at hearings.

The case was argued before the Supreme Judicial Court November 7, 1946 and has been held under advisement since that date without a decision up to the time of the writing of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

Homer A. Severne, Chairman
Robert J. Hill, Secretary
T. Gilman Churchill
Thomas F. Culliney
Darius W. Gilbert
Frederic D. MacNeill
Stewart Sanders
Roscoe E. Sherbrooke
Charles L. Stegmaier
Ira B. P. Stoughton
Gilbert S. Tower
Philip L. Towle

REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

December 31, 1946

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

Your Highway Surveyor's report for the year ending December 31, 1946, is much the same as of other years. There were 28,858 gallons of tarvia put on the following streets and roads: Beechwood, Doane, Church, King, Pond, Ash, Spring and Pleasant Street; Norfolk, Cushing, Bancroft Roads and Smith Place; also much was used in patching, due to the removal of various size stones that had been forced to the surface from deep frosts of other years.

From the very severe storm of December 1945, considerable damage was done to Atlantic Avenue along Sandy Beach. Tons of sand and stones were washed up on to the road rendering vehicle traffic impossible. At the earliest moment the road was cleared temporarily. In the Spring all the debris was removed, most of which, across the road and used in enlarging and improving the parking space, much to the satisfaction of many of our citizens. (This improvement had the full support and approbation of our Honorable Board of Selectmen.)

Likewise from Black Rock Beach, tons of washed-up beach stones were removed and deposited in the rough part of Wadleigh Park close by.

That area of Depot Court between Lincoln Bros. coal office—the entrance to Pleasant Street and southerly side of the depot received a generous covering of Bituminous concrete, put on by the Bradford Weston Company of Hingham, for the purpose of eliminating the several small depressions from this flat area that did hold rain and snow water—making foot travel particularly annoying to the many who by necessity traversed this area.

To the Town Officials, who always are most co-operative and the many citizens for helpful suggestions, I express my sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM T. BARNES
Highway Surveyor

COHASSET FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS 1946

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To Payments:		
Purchase of books	603.76	
Treasurer's bond premium (3 years)	31.25	
Rent Safe Deposit Box	12.00	
Service Charge, N. E. Trust Co.	.87	
Support of Paul Pratt Memorial Library	200.00	
Cash Balance, N. E. Trust Co., Dec. 31st, 1946	310.59	
Cash Cohasset Savings Bank, Dec. 31st, 1946	406.80	
		$1,565.27

Dr.

To Receipts:		
Income, investments	$477.02	
Savings Bank interest	348.11	
Cash Balance, N. E. Trust Co., Jan. 1st, 1946	333.34	
Cash Cohasset Savings Bank, Jan. 1st, 1946	406.80	
		$1,565.27

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH D. KETCHUM,
Treasurer

January 8, 1947

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENT FUNDS AND SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNTS

December 31st, 1946

Bonds (Face Value)

1500	New York Central R. R. ref and imp. 5's — 2013
2000	Elliott Square Co. 1st 5's—extended by agreement
7500	U. S. Govt. Series "G"—2½'s — 1956
5000	U. S. Govt. Series "G" — 2½'s — 1957

$16,000.

Shares

20	Shares, First National Bank of Boston, cost $973.50
2	Shares International Match Real. Co., Ltd.
3	Shares Elliott Square Co., pref.

Savings Banks

$9,739.35	Cohasset Savings Bank
4,146.82	East Weymouth Savings Bank
2,090.00	Hingham Institution for Savings
3,578.63	Quincy Savings Bank
$19,554.80	

Respectfully submitted,

KENNETH D. KETCHUM,
Treasurer

January 8, 1947

PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

In account with Fred V. Stanley, Treasurer

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By payments for 1946

For books, magazines and binding		$1,117.79
For heating and lighting		580.97
For insurance		72.40
For postage, printing and stationery		115.70
For rent, Beechwood Branch		250.00
For repairs and maintenance		450.74
For supplies		113.31
For telephones		65.43
For miscellaneous items		116.75
For "Gift Fund" purchases		166.41
For salaries:		
Librarian, Charlotte S. Tower	$1,900.00	
Assi't Librarian, Sara E. Heywood	1,518.00	
Ass't Librarian, Sara E. Heywood (Overtime pay)	63.25	
Ass't Librarian, Mary A. Stoddard	455.40	
Janitor, Charles E. Butman	660.00	
Treasurer, Fred V. Stanley	126.48	
Helpers:		
Agnes B. Macmulkin	216.00	
Margaret McNamara	32.21	
Priscilla Wood	32.50	
David Wadsworth	29.46	
Robert Butman	12.00	
		$5,045.30
		8,094.80
Balance, January 1, 1947 in Granite Trust Company		1,406.03
		$9,500.83

Dr.

To receipts for 1946

Balance January 1, 1946 in Granite Trust Company	$1,486.85
Received Town Appropriation	6,650.00
Received Income from investments	381.99
Received Income unrestricted funds, Cohasset Free Public Library	200.00
Received "Special Fund" gifts (See Librarian's Report)	184.50
Received Fines, fees, etc., at Library	597.49
Total Receipts	$9,500.83

Schedule of Invested Funds

$2,000	American Telephone and Telegraph Company Bonds 2¾'s 1980
1,000	American Telephone and Telegraph Company Bond 2⅝'s 1985
1,000	Birmingham Terminal Company Bond 1st 4's 1957
2,000	Eastern Fuel and Gas Associates 1st 4's 1956
2,000	Central Power and Light Company Bonds 1st 3⅛'s 1973
2,000	Winter Hill Federal Bank Shares 2 per cent
1,219.42	Cohasset Savings Bank
$11,219.42	

Respectfully submitted,

FRED V. STANLEY,
Treasurer

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

On December 1st four murals depicting episodes of the history of Cohasset were presented to the Directors by Miss Charlotte S. Tower, Chief Librarian. They are permanently installed in the rotunda of the Library and express in a simple and beautiful way the great interest which Miss Tower has always had in the Library and all those who utilize its facilities. With our warm thanks for the gift, we also want to convey our deep appreciation of Miss Tower's painstaking and loving performance of her duties over a considerable period of years.

During the year, various necessary repairs were made at the Library. Roofing was made more secure and balustrades which served no useful purpose were discarded. In the Library, apart from facts contained in the Librarian's report, several minor improvements were made including the purchase of a new electric clock. Detailed reports of the Treasurer and Librarian are appended herewith.

FREDERICK HINCHLIFFE, President
REV. FRED V. STANLEY, Treasurer
DONALD T. GAMMONS, Clerk
REV. ROSCOE E. TRUEBLOOD
REV. ROBERT W. LITTLE
ROLAND D. EARLE
CHARLES L. STEGMAIER

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF THE PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

COHASSET, MASS.

To the Board of Directors of the Paul Pratt Memorial Library:

Very often suggestions and recommendations are made in such reports as this, but just now it seems wise neither to re-iterate suggestions of yesterday nor to present new recommendations. When occasions for these arise I know that you will be as understanding and as willing to consider them as you have always been.

With the passing of another year it is again necessary to look back through twelve months to select from them the activities of the library which it may be of interest to record.

The library has been open the usual number of days, 303, fifty-four hours weekly, when we have been ready to help in every way possible our townspeople and neighbors who come to us.

In reading the shelves it was found that not only were books which had been previously missing still missing, but also others, some of which will doubtless be accounted for eventually. This year has been no exception to other years in the recovery of mysteriously missing books. We are certainly grateful for the thoughtfulness of those who find them in returning them, for it is a satisfaction to have them back, even if the mystery of their disappearance cannot always be solved.

Meetings of Library Clubs and Associations have been resumed this year, some of which Miss Stoddard and I have attended. I have also met frequently with a group of librarians in Boston, when the new fiction is reviewed, with an occasional meeting given to non-fiction or some other pertinent subject, and problems which arise are discussed.

Through Inter-library loan eighteen books have been borrowed for the accommodation of our readers.

Many gifts have most gratefully been received which will be further acknowledged in our January Bulletin.

We are indebted to those who have provided and arranged exhibits through the year and we thank very sincerely: The Community Nutritionist, Miss Anderson, for her attractively arranged and appetizing pamphlets and posters of healthful food; The Pan-American Coffee Bureau for an educational exhibit of the caffea shrub through pictures, booklets and poster, with samples of its berry as it has been prepared for commercial use; Dr. Henry F. Howe, who, through his manuscript, printer's proof and book showed the "Stages of growth of a book from its first draft to publication"; Mary P. Tower, for her collection of sample pipes and cigarette holders; Mrs. Adele Lawrence, whose oil paintings showed her versatility in this art through their variety of subject; Mr. Fred W. Rust, whose generous gift of lovely Christmas cards made a timely exhibit; Mrs. Amelia R. Damon, L. Emma Nichols and Mrs. Jerome F. Wadsworth, whose loans or gifts of photographs, etc., have given one a glimpse of earlier days in Cohasset. While the flowers which were provided by members of the Amateur Garden Club through the summer were not brought in as exhibits, our appreciative thanks may well be included here.

In April the purchase of records made by an English writer and story-teller of note, Mrs. Thorne-Thomsen, led to the establishment of a Gift Fund, to which contributions were and are invited. The hope behind this thought was that with such a fund extra things might be provided for the library which would add to its attractiveness and efficiency. The gift of records and a record player from Edward L. Logan has made the purchase of a machine unnecessary, and has allowed us to buy more records than we expected to. We have also bought an Oriental rug for the alcove in the Reading Room. To date the amount which has been contributed is $184.50 and $166.41 has been expended. A balance of $18.09 remains. We hope this may be increased by further contribution.

In March our Treasure Chest was sent to New York, en route to England. Its arrival there has not yet been reported, but some information is contained in the following paragraph quoted from a letter received from Headquarters in New York, in answer to my inquiry about the chest. "As far as your chest to England, "SETC 239" is concerned. This being such a beautiful Chest, we held it in New York for quite some time for exhibit, it was however shipped out quite some time ago and addressed to a Member of the United States Embassy Staff in London, to be sent to a Young English Girl, named Patricia, who had spent the war years in Cohasset, Massachusett." (This "Young English Girl" is Patricia Gill who lived for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Scripture.)

In reporting statistics of registration, circulation of books and book stock, the grand totals are given below, followed by the specific totals of the adult department of the main library; those for the Children's Room and the Beechwood Branch Library will be found in the short reports under these headings.

In recent years there have been more registrations of transients than formerly, especially during the summer, which makes a more thorough revision of the registration file at the end of the year advisable. This has been done, with the result that withdrawals, 281, have out-numbered registrations, 252, to the number of 29, thus reducing the file to 1,517 names, — 1,095 adult at the main library. This may be a smaller representation of our townspeople than it should be, but I have always thought a smaller active file a truer representation of the use made of the library than one which is larger but more inactive.

The circulation of books has been better than that of last year, the records showing that 37,720 volumes have been borrowed, — 22,009 adult at the main library. It may be of interest to note that non-fiction was 39% of the adult circulation. Through the year 1021 overdue and 546 reserve cards have been sent out.

The collection of books, increased by 1,014 volumes, purchased, bound and gifts, was reduced in number, however, by the withdrawal of 333, making a present total of 28,874 volumes, of which 12,220 are the property of the Paul Pratt Memorial Library and 16,654 of the Cohasset Free Public Library. Of this number 21,795 are adult books.

Children's Room

The Children's Room, bright and cheerful with afternoon sunlight, colorful book jackets and attractive books, has found favor with many an adult as well as with the children.

The registration file of children under fifteen years of age consists of 270 names. There have been 50 registrations through the year; 53 names have been withdrawn. The file has also lost 51 names through transferral

to the adult file, at the age of fifteen, as has been the custom for the past few years.

The collection of books, including those for pre-school to high school age, numbers 5,024 volumes, — a net increase of 191; 324 volumes having been added and 133 withdrawn.

The circulation of books, which include the monthly deposits sent to the Ripley Road School during the school year, was 12,395 volumes. To the forty-seven children who were interested in reading for State certificates, 127 small certificates (for five books read) and 13 Honor certificates (for twenty books) were awarded. Most of the reading was done in the Fourth Grade.

In November the library was visited, as usual by the Lower Grades, and, for the first time, by the Kindergarten, during Book Week. The programme of entertainment consisted of the telling of stories chosen from new books, which the children were eager to look at later, and the playing of records. This was a special surprise reserved for this week. Records were also used as a part of the simple Christmas celebration.

Since the first of December we have been having a "music hour" on Tuesday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock, to which both children and grown-ups are invited. These have been quite successful. If interest continues, we shall be encouraged to buy additional records.

Beechwood Branch Library

The Beechwood Branch Library has been open the usual number of days with the exception of an occasional afternoon, when heat has been inadequate.

Through the year there have been 12 registrations, 5 adult and 7 juvenile, with 5 names transferred to the adult file. Names of 9 adults have been withdrawn. The present file numbers 152, of which 26 are under fifteen years of age.

Miss Stoddard's reports of circulation show an increase of 251 volumes, the total number borrowed being 3,316 — 1,928 adult and 1,388 juvenile. The gain, mostly in adult books, may, without doubt, be attributed to the increased number of books purchased, which the additional appropriations made by your Board and that of the Cohasset Free Public Library has made possible, as well as to the greater number of books which have been sent from the main library in bi-monthly deposits.

A net increase of 154 volumes has been made in the permanent collection which now totals 2,055 — 1,172 being adult books and 883 juvenile. Miss Stoddard reports that no books were missing from the shelves.

In closing, may I add to my customary word of appreciation for your kindly support and for your readiness to grant my requests insofar as possible, my personal thanks for arranging the simple programme for the afternoon of December first, when it was my pleasure to present to the Paul Pratt Memorial Library the four murals which have been so beautifully executed by MacIvor Reddie?

To my library co-workers whose help and co-operation mean so much to me I extend my sincere thanks. We have enjoyed working together in the interest of the library.

CHARLOTTE S. TOWER,
Librarian

Cohasset, Massachusetts
January 15, 1947

REPORT OF TOWN COUNSEL

January 16, 1947

In closing twenty-three years of public service as Town Counsel for this municipality, I can claim some small part in the town's progress and orderly conduct, such as permitted to counsel working in close harmony with other town officials during this period.

A Town Counsel is no longer merely an advisor. His position has become similar to that of counsel for a large corporation, the complexity of whose activities demand constant specialized legal service to avoid unpleasant entanglements.

Municipal governments, as well as State and Federal, are constantly being required to play a greater part in the lives of our people, in consequence of which more and more legal problems arise. Neglect of these problems only involves the 1 unicipality in more serious difficulties, with greater expense and disturbance. The town's officials, face to face with these problems, are constantly called upon to obtain legal assistance. These problems of government are multiplying.

The past year has been an unusually busy one for your Town Counsel, involving as it has, in addition to the usual routine and ordinary matters, the following:

Preparing Articles and Warrant for Annual Town Meeting
Advice re: Town Meeting Articles
Preparing votes re: same
Tax appeal cases of:
Crocker, Golf Club, Pitman, Killion, Bancroft, Richardson, Stampleman, Cox, Hurley, Upham, and Bell
Various opinions to town officials
Advice re: licenses
Conferences and advise re: proposed Police and Fire Station
Preparing Petition to General Court for special legislation granting authority to take outstanding rights in Tilden Stable site for purposes other than park and common.
Conferences and advice re: purchase of Cohasset Water Co. franchise
Matter of bus licenses and hearings thereon
Matter of acquiring Government Island property including correspondence and conferences with government officials, and Senators re: priority
Preparing vote — exercise of priority — approval of deed, etc. re: transfer of title to Government Island.
Attendance at Superior Court, suit, motions, pleadings, etc., and collection in re: Cohasset vs. Signorelli
Settlement of Cohasset vs. Nott Estate, suit, pleadings, etc.
Settlement claim Rosa Brooks and J. W. Ford vs. Cohasset re: damage from Highway Snow Plow.
Advice, opinion re: procedure in resignation of Selectman Petersen and filling vacancies
Advice, preparation, etc. of Traffic Rules and Regulations
Advice, opinion, and attendance at hearing on Jerusalem Road Guest House
Preparation South Shore Players Agreement re: use of Town Hall
Conference, advice, etc. re: pollution of Cohasset Harbor
Preparing Articles and Warrant for Special Town Meeting, September 13
Advice to Planning Board

Conference with Committee re: zoning

Advice re: West Corner Playground and necessity of Special Legislation

Complaint re: damage Sandy Cove, resulting from drainage

Conferences and advice re: New High School

Preparing contract installation heating equipment—Town Hall

Preparing Interim Agreement, Cohasset Water Co.

Conferences with Water Company officials, attorneys and Committee

Preparing and filing in Supreme Judicial Court Petition for Reference to D. P. U. for determination of value

Preparing Bill to General Court amending Charter of Cohasset Water Co. — attending hearings and securing passage of same

Appearance, Answer, Brief, etc. in proceedings for Declaratory Judgment—

Cohasset Water Co.
vs.
Town of Cohasset
and
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.

Much time spent on examination of law, etc. re: valuations—Public Utilities procedure, etc.

Preparing Bid for Heating Oil Contract

Retirement Pension System

Preparation of Red Cross and Rotary Club Agreements re: use of Bates Building

Preparation of American Legion Lease

Advice re: Viola death and procedure re: burial

Exclusive of Town Meetings and much time consumed at Cohasset in evenings and other than during office hours, I have recorded over 500 hours devoted to Town affairs during the year from January 1 to December 31.

This does not include time devoted by office assistants. In addition is the considerable time and expense involved in stenographic service, overhead for postage, stationery, office telephone, transportation; etc.

At this time no decision has been rendered by the Supreme Judicial Court on the case reported by the Superior Court and heard November 6, although I am hopeful that this will be received before the Annual Town Meeting.

In closing I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen, previous and present Town Officials, and all my fellow citizens for the privilege of serving.

The appreciation of my services by the Board has been ever an inspiration and incentive.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK A. THAYER,
Town Counsel

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REPORT OF HARBOR MASTER

January 20, 1947

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

It is with the deepest sorrow that I submit this Report without the Signature of my past Assistant, Joseph Figueiredo, who was lost in the Tragic Accident of the past summer. He was a fine, cooperative and willing assistant.

During the year 1946, we have had a large increase in both Yachting and Fishing at the Harbor. This past summer the Mass. Bay Sailing Championship was held at Cohasset, bringing to our harbor an increase of 25 boats at one time. We were able to handle these boats in the harbor only by mooring a few of them temporarily in the harbor channel and with the cooperation of the fishermen and others who had to go around them for a few days.

In the summer months we made a ruling, with your permission, of a speed limit of 5 knots per hour within the harbor. This ruling was made for the safety of small children and people who are in small boats within the harbor.

Repairs, during the War years, have been kept at a minimum.

I feel that next year we should start on a constructive program. The fisherman's float, so called, is old and should be replaced by a new one. The walls around the harbor are in a very poor condition and a start must be made toward repairing them.

In closing, I wish to thank you Gentlemen, The Selectmen, for your full support at all times, the fishermen for their cooperation in the fine work they did in keeping the bait landing clean and the yachtsmen for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD J. ANTOINE,
Harbor Master

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AND CLAIMS FOR THE TOWN OF COHASSET

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Cohasset, Mass.

Gentlemen:—

The present organization came into being by appointment of your Board on July 26, 1946 for the purpose of making available to veterans, information pertaining to their rights and privileges under the GI Bill of Rights, to aid them in any of their problems and to act as distributor for veterans' benefits under Chapter 599, Acts of 1946.

A committee to act in an advisory capacity to the Director was appointed by your Board on July 29, 1946 consisting of the following citizens:

Gilman Churchill, Chairman
Marguerite G. Barrett, Secretary
Norman Card
Burditt Collins
Roger B. Coulter
Nathaniel Hurwitz
Paul Litchfield
Maurice R. Noonan
Dr. Howard S. Reid
William Ripley, Jr.
Mrs. Albert Seaver
Hugh Strain
Walter C. Wheelwright

The headquarters for these services is located at No. 48 South Main Street, Cohasset, and the hours are from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

We hope every veteran will feel at ease in bringing their problems to headquarters, and free to call on any member of the committee for advise on any of their problems.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD A. MULVEY,
Director of Cohasset Veterans Services

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF COHASSET

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31,

1946

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Percival N. James	Term expires 1947
Mrs. Mary C. Stoddard, Secretary	Term expires 1947
John L. Emery, Chairman	Term expires 1948
Charles L. Stegmaier	Term expires 1948
Mrs. Bernadette Shyne	Term expires 1949
Arthur L. Clark	Term expires 1949

Malcolm Stevens ..... Financial Secretary

Regular Meeting of Committee

The second Monday of each month at 8:00 P. M. Osgood School.

Superintendent of Schools

William Ripley, Jr., Office Coh. 0290, Residence Coh. 0232

Secretary to the Superintendent

Mary M. Mulvey, Coh. 0290, Coh. 0022-J

School Physician

Dr. Howard Reid, Coh. 0109-W

School Nurse

Fannie James, Coh. 0418-R, Coh. 0540

School Dentist

Dr. William G. Matteson, Jr., Coh. 0064-M

Janitor — Osgood School

John E. Sladen, Coh. 0290, Coh. 0620-W

Janitor — Ripley Road School

William H. McArthur, Jr., Coh. 0540, Coh. 0612-M
Harry Wood, Coh. 0540, Coh. 0471-R

TELEPHONES

Osgood School	Coh. 0290
Ripley Road	Coh. 0540

SCHOOL CALENDAR — 1946 - 1947

FALL TERM

Begins Wednesday, September 4, 1946, sixteen weeks; ends Friday, December 20, 1946.

WINTER TERM

Begins Monday, January 6, 1947, seven weeks; ends Friday, February 21, 1947.

SPRING TERM

Begins Monday, March 3, 1947, seven weeks; ends Friday, April 18, 1947.

SUMMER TERM

Begins Monday, April 28, 1947, eight weeks; ends Friday, June 20, 1947.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION

Thursday, June 12, 1947 at 8:00 p. m.

FALL TERM

Begins Wednesday, September 3, 1947, sixteen weeks; ends Friday, December 16, 1947.

HOLIDAYS

Good Friday, April 4, 1947
Memorial Day, May 30, 1947
Columbus Day, October 13, 1947
Armistice Day, November 11, 1947
Thanksgiving Recess, Wednesday, November 27, 1947
—School close at noon for the remainder of the week.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

Your School Committee has been in session for many hours both at regular meetings and at special meetings during the past year with but one objective — to give to the community the best possible school system within the scope of its legislative powers.

Your committee has the responsibility of the expenditure of the tax payers' money represented by the largest single budget in the general appropriations voted at the annual town meetings. The General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts provide that "a town may at any town meeting appropriate money for the support of the public schools authorized or required by law — the same to be expended by the School Committee in its discretion." The School Committee is, by this law, granted a privilege which no other department has. In other departments it is required by law that the expenditures under each individual item be kept within the appropriation for this item and that no transfers be made from one item to another. Your Committee has at all times made every effort to anticipate expenditures so that they may be used for the express purposes designated but considering the fact that it submits a budget containing some thirty-five items it is difficult at times to estimate within several hundreds of dollars the exact amount to be used for a particular purpose. In view of the recent increase in the tax rate we have made every reasonable effort to

keep the appropriations within bounds. However, in line with the general trend in other school systems we find that the school budget again shows a substantial increase over last year. This is due in a meaure to an increase of $300 for each teacher, which the Committee feels is justifiable under present living conditions, and to the increased costs of supplies, heat and repairs. We are not asking for any capital expenditures for 1947 but recognize the fact that considerable money may have to be spent in connection with the stacks within the chimneys of the Osgood School. In December 1941 it was necessary to ask for an emergency appropriation of $940.36 to take care of a like situation which may again confront us within the year.

Your Committee has before it a report, presented principally through the efforts of the Parent-Teachers Association, of a Salary Survey Committee. This report contains certain recommendations relative to teacher's salaries and is in line with a country-wide interest in placing the teaching profession on a sound financial basis, the ultimate objective being to safeguard the pupil's education. Your committee has not had the opportunity to study and discuss this report as yet. However, it may be stated that present trends indicate an increase in teachers' salaries in the not too distant future.

In order to avoid charging the expense of maintaining a public assembly hall and indoor playground at the Ripley Road School to the per capita cost of educating the Cohasset school children your committee has recently asked a fee (when admission is charged) of $15 for the use of this hall. It is hoped that the cost of operating this hall for other than school purposes may be tranferred to a town account that will more nearly reflect its usage and that this $15 charge may be done away with.

The alterations and installation of a suitable cafeteria, kitchen and supply room in the Ripley Road School during the past year has more than compensated for the amount of money expended in view of the excellent results obtained. The committee cordially invites the townspeople to inspect this project.

Mr. William Ripley, Jr., was unanimously elected Superintendent of the Cohasset schools and Principal of the Osgood School in 1946. He served his apprenticeship as Acting Superintendent during Mr. Doyle's absence and the committee feels that the community is fortunate in having such a competent educator and fine gentleman at the head of its school system.

We welcome back those teachers who have returned to the system after time spent in the armed forces during World War Two and note with regret the resignation because of disability incurred while serving as an officer in the United States Army of Mr. James W. Doyle, as its Superintendent. We also regret to record that Mr. Otis R. Jason, a teacher in the Osgood School has resigned to accept a position as Principal of the elementary and junior high school in Westminster, Mass.

COHASSET SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Committee and Citizens of Cohasset:

The information usually presented by the departmental reports is condensed and presented in this section this year. In the past much repetitious material has of necessity been included which may be eliminated in the interest of economy of time and space.

INFORMATION RELATIVE TO THE TEACHING STAFF

The teaching staff will be considered in three groups according to assignment.

The Ripley Road School—Grades 1-6	Year Elected
Helen L. Hudson, Principal, 6th Grade	1921
Kathleen McMahon, Kindergarten	1915
Louise A. Winslow, Grade 1	1943
Rosamond Terry, Grade 1	1946
Eleanor M. Rhode, Grade 2	1939
Elinor W. Kennedy, Grade 2	1944
Helen W. Terry, Grade 3	1943
Alice G. Dixon, Grade 3	1946
Mary E. Curley, Grade 4	1946
Beatrice E. Collins, Grade 5	1946
Ruth V. Felts, Grade 5 and 6	1945
Eve Casey, Grade 6	1946
Karolyn Fisher, Reading Supervisor	1946
The Osgood School—Grades 7-12	
Nathan W. Bates, Mathematics, Science, Industrial Arts	1942
Burditt W. Collins, Vice-principal, Guidance, Social Science	1931
Marjorie Fay, English	1935
Otis R. Jason, Social Studies, Mathematics	1932
Laura A. Leonard, English	1937
Donald McNeil, Science, Mathematics	1945
Mildred E. Nelson, Commercial	1938
Jane E. O'Sullivan, Social Studies	1945
Florence E. Reed, Latin, French, Spanish	1929
William Ripley, Jr., Principal	1926
Charles H. Russell, General Shop, Printing	1946
Marion R. Sullivan, English, French	1931
Helen C. Welch, Home Economics	1919
Teachers Assigned to Both Buildings	
Florence C. Ayers, Girls Physical Education	1940
Florence E. Kraus, Supervisor of Art	1914
Frederick A. Taylor, Music	1924
Special Services	
W. L. Rinehart and Associates, Supervisor of penmanship- both schools	1944
Audubon Society, Visiting nature study teacher — Ripley Road School	1945

The following teachers resigned during the year:	Year Elected
Elsie M. Burbank, Grade 4	1944
Muriel J. Maloney, Grade 4	1943
Gwendolyn Thompson, Grade 5	1930
Alma J. Dixon, Grade 1	1945
Cecily I. Tinker, Grade 1	1946

Max H. Meyer, Shop 1918

The following teachers who were substituting for teachers in military service terminated their service:

Marion Lenehan 1944

Lydia Ericsson 1944

Teachers on leave of absence for military service:

James W. Doyle—reinstated as Superintendent of Schools and Principal of Osgood School, January 1, 1946, and retired January 23, 1946, under provisions of the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board.

Otis R. Jason—reinstated February 1946

Eleanor E. Rhode—reinstated November 1946

Ruth Jellison—resigned September 1946

THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Entrance Age Regulations: A child desiring to enter Kindergarten in September must be four years and ten months of age on or before the day school opens for the fall session. A child must be five years and ten months of age on or before the day school opens for the fall session to enter the first grade. Pupils born in towns other than Cohasset must present a birth certificate for admission to the kindergarten or the first grade.

Mrs. Helen Hudson, Principal of the Ripley Road School, reports a year of very substantial progress. I feel that the work at this school is very sound under her capable administration.

One outstanding accomplishment has been the reorganization of the reading program on the primary and elementary levels. Mrs. Karolyn Fisher assumed her duties as Supervisor of Reading and Remedial Reading Teacher in January. Mrs. Hudson and she have worked out a thorough testing program to analyze the reading capacities and levels of all pupils. A reading center has been established to give remedial work for pupils who were found to have difficulties. All classroom teachers conduct reading in close collaboration with Mrs. Fisher. We are committed to the thought that "Reading is the major end of all thinking and it is the tool from which all knowledge comes." Authorities all over the country seem to agree on two principles to guide the instruction of elementary pupils in reading. First, that no child should be started in reading until that child had reached "reading readiness." Second, that the child should progress evenly from one reading level to the next regardless of the grade placement of the child. It is believed that pushing the child too rapidly in the primary grades is the chief cause for failure and disinterest in school in the early secondary grades. We have many case records which seem to substantiate this.

Three years of the Rinehart penmanship supervision has improved the quality of penmanship of our elementary pupils to a marked degree.

In May of each year, the Stanford Achievement Tests are administered in grades 4, 5, and 6 in all subjects. The test results are kept on file as a record of progress as measured by nationally recognized standard tests.

THE SECONDARY SCHOOL

The Osgood School had an enrollment of 198 on October 1. It is predicter that secondary school enrollment will increase steadily for the next

few years reaching a peak in the early 1950's. Consideration of a secondary school program contemplates with interest the progress of plans for a new school building.

The most obvious improvements in the school program which a new building would offer may be stated briefly. Facilities would be provided for physical education, the need for which was emphasized in World Wars I and II by the records of physical examinations. There are no facilities or personnel for this program in Cohasset for boys after Grade 6. More laboratory space for the teaching of the sciences is needed. There is a need for a proper auditorium and a usable stage. All rooms in a new building would be equipped to make use of our visual aid equipment. A modern shop would enable us to install a more efficient industrial arts program. Certainly any provision for coat rooms, toilet rooms, health rooms, entrances and exits, and administrative space would be a decided improvement.

In the secondary school the values which lie in what was formerly termed extra-curricular activities are more clearly recognized today than ever before. Good teachers are those who best capitalize the opportunities for developing these values in such activities.

The athletic program for the Osgood School is under the supervision of various teachers as indicated:

Burditt W. Collins—Director of Athletics and Faculty Manager
Donald McNeil—High School football, basketball, and baseball
Charles H. Russell—Junior High basketball
Nathan Bates—Track
Florence Ayers—Girls' Field Hockey, basketball and softball

The high school teams play contests with other members of the South Shore League and one or two games each season with outside teams. The boys' football team went to Nantucket this fall.

Advisors for class organizations are:

7th grade—Miss Terry, Miss O'Sullivan
8th grade—Miss Leonard
9th grade—Miss Reid
10th grade—Miss Sullivan
11th grade—Miss Fay
12th grade—Miss Nelson

Special activity advisors:

The annual yearbook—Mr. Bates, Miss Sullivan
Cheerleaders—Miss Ayers
Dramatics—Mr. Jason
Newspaper—Miss Leonard
Student Council—Mr. Collins
Graduation—Miss Nelson

Under the direction of Mr. Collins, Vice-principal of the building, a guidance program is established which seeks to fit the program to the needs of each individual pupil. In general, their curricula fall into three classifications. Certain pupils will take courses which are recommended by colleges or other schools of advanced standing in order to qualify for admission. There is a tendency in the colleges to put increasing stress on the quality of work done, rather than to specify in what subjects the work will be done. The crowded conditions of the colleges still make college entrance a matter of competition rather than the meeting of minimum standards. Another group of our students, with a proportionately larger

number of girls than boys, take commercial subjects during their last three years. A third group tend to elect subjects of a practical nature. These include a large amount of shop, shop theory, and the practical application of shop theory. It is our aim to give these students training in fundamentals which they will find useful as a starting point in any of the fields of industry which they may enter.

More emphasis is being placed on studying various occupations and in supplying information concerning occupations so that fewer students will come to graduation with a lack of information concerning the opportunities for making a living. To assist in this adaptation of the courses of study to the pupils needs, a testing program has been installed which includes tests of general educational development. The Iowa educational Development test is used for Grades 9-12. A record of the test results administered by the Boston University School and College Relations Department is available for each Junior and Senior in the school. The Kuder Preference Test is given at the ninth grade level. The Stanford Achievement Tests in school subjects and the Chicago Mental Maturity Tests are given in the seventh and eighth grade.

HEALTH

On September 1, 1946, Dr. Howard Reid, who had been on leave of absence for military service, was reinstated as school physician. During the war years, Dr. Frederick Hinchliffe had ably carried on the work of school physician.

The duties of the school physician are to examine each child once a year and make whatever recommendations seem indicated to the parents. He is also called in cases when a child's family physician is not available to render emergency treatment. He inspects the sanitary conditions of the buildings and makes suggestions and recommendations. He examines all candidates for athletic teams and attends the high school football games. In cases of contagious diseases, he conducts daily inspection in the schools to guard against epidemics. He examines all children at the pre-school clinic.

The school nurse, Miss Fannie James, has her office in the new facilities provided during the past summer at the Ripley Road School. An office and examining room was built and a room where a sick child might recline apart from the classrooms. Her report of activities is as follows:

No. of pupils taken home during school hours for accident or illness	94
No. of Home visits pertaining to absence and health of pupils	106
No. of pupils attending clinic for the prevention of diphtheria and whooping cough	7
No. of high school pupils given chest X-ray by Norfolk County Health Association:	
Boys	22
Girls	16
No. of children enrolled at pre-school conference	42
No. of pupils in Ripley Road School attending Dental Clinic	218

The school dentist, Dr. Matteson, was reinstated this year after a leave of absence for service with the armed forces. He is in attendance at the office in the Ripley Road School one and one-half days a week. Clinical

examination is given all children in the elementary grades. Treatment is available to all children provided a permission card signed by a parent is filed with the school nurse.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The School Lunch Program is operated with assistance from the National School Lunch Program. The policy established for many years past is to serve a well balanced lunch at prices whereby the receipts from the sales of lunches will cover the cost of the food used. Equipment and salaries of lunchroom workers are not covered by these receipts. The lunches served during the past year have met the standards of the National School Lunch Program as a Type B lunch. At the start of 1947, the lunchrooms will shift to a Type A lunch. This is a hot or cold lunch which provides ⅓ to ½ of one days nutritive requirements. It must have two ounces of the protein foods, six ounces of raw, cooked, or canned vegetables, and/or fruit, one portion of bread, muffins, or other hot bread made of whole grain cereal or enriched flour, and two teaspoons of butter or fortified margarine. The subsidy for each such lunch served is 7c. For each half pint of milk served, the subsidy is 2c.

The new cafeteria at the Ripley Road School has greatly improved the facilities for feeding the pupils in this building. The kitchen is equipped with a stainless steel sink, gas range and steam table. A new General Electric restaurant type refrigerator has been ordered. Additional tables have been made for the cafeteria by high school pupils under the supervision of Mr. Bates. The whole layout has proven to be functionally efficient; and has eliminated inadequate and unsanitary conditions which previously existed. Reference to the financial reports will reveal that the total cost has been very moderate for the results achieved.

MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

Repairs not foreseen compelled the appropriation of money at the special Town Meeting in September. The State Department of Public Safety required many alterations and installations in both school buildings this year. Over $250.00 worth of hardware for doors was necessary to replace that deemed unsafe by the Department. Emergency lighting systems were installed in both schools. Exit signs, new doors, and replacements in the fire alarm system were quite generally required in the Osgood School. Expensive repairs to boiler returns and the slate roof at the Osgood School used up much of the money allotted to repairs. No painting except in the new cafeteria was done. A regular schedule of painting should be maintained in order to spread this expense evenly over the years. Some items which must be planned for in the future may be mentioned. The walls of the Ripley Road School need pointing up. Several classrooms and hallways in this school need painting badly. The trim on the outside of the Ripley Road School will need paint soon. Drains from the roof need to be repaired and in some cases led to dry wells. The playing surface in the rear of the school should be graded and a new fence provided.

While repair work at the Osgood School should be done with a new school in mind, there are certain urgent repair items continually reappearing. Repairs to the roof, electrical system, heating system and plumbing system are of emergency nature.

The auditorium at the Ripley Road School has been used nearly continuously during the winter months. Much of this use is community use and I recommend that some money be appropriated to maintain this hall for recreational use aside from that charged to education of children.

TRANSPORTATION

A new school bus has been purchased and delivery was made in September. This bus meets all of the safety requirements of the latest safety regulations of the Registry of Motor Vehicles. The policy in transportation is to run the buses over routes most convenient to the greatest number of pupils consistent with a reasonable schedule.

CONCLUSION

You are referred to information relative to graduation and to statistical tables appended to this report. Your superintendent is well aware that the report may not furnish all of the information which one may desire; but wishes to assure all citizens that any information regarding the schools will be cheerfully furnished on request.

I wish to call attention especially to the information that Mr. James W. Doyle was retired in January of this year due to injuries received while a member of the armed forces. I wish to express my appreciation of many years of association with him in the public schools of this town. Also, I would express the best wishes of this department to Mr. Max H. Meyer, who retired from teaching after twenty-six years as teacher of Industrial Arts in our schools.

I believe that thanks are due the members of the School Committee who give unselfishly of their time in the interests of the children of Cohasset.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM RIPLEY, JR.
Superintendent of Schools

AGE AND GRADE DISTRIBUTION OCTOBER 1, 1946

Age	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		Totals
Boys	1	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	
Girls K	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	53
Boys	—	2	23	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	
Girls 1	—	2	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	61
Boys	—	—	1	20	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	
Girls 2	—	—	1	14	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	43
Boys	—	—	—	6	15	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27	
Girls 3	—	—	—	3	21	4	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	57
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	8	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	
Girls 4	—	—	—	—	3	18	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	37
Boys	—	—	—	—	1	5	10	4	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	
Girls 5	—	—	—	—	—	4	15	5	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	52
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	19	5	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	29	
Girls 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	10	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	50
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	18	4	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	28	
Girls 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8	4	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	15	43
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	9	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	17	
Girls 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	11	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	18	35
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	9	1	—	—	—	—	16	
Girls 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	13	5	3	—	—	—	—	22	38
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	10	2	2	—	—	—	17	
Girls 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	9	3	—	—	—	—	13	30
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	5	3	—	1	—	15	
Girls 11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	8	—	—	—	—	12	27
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	1	3	10	
Girls 12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	7	2	1	—	14	24
Boys	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0	
Girls P. G.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Totals	1	56	53	48	44	47	41	43	44	37	37	47	26	17	3	4	3		531

High School Pupils 120 Elementary Pupils 431 Total No. Boys 281 Total No. Girls 270

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

As of October 1, for years 1933 - 1946

	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946
K	36	36	27	49	56	41	38	44	50	51	53
1	50	49	46	44	55	61	50	48	61	53	61
2	46	48	46	51	37	55	50	42	36	60	43
3	52	52	37	49	45	38	50	51	48	39	57
4	39	49	59	49	48	42	45	54	61	55	37
5	50	41	49	54	52	53	44	47	55	50	52
6	45	47	41	51	47	40	38	47	35	53	50
7	49	50	42	49	56	41	35	36	51	38	43
8	44	41	45	36	46	49	41	39	31	40	35
9	37	46	44	51	41	46	48	45	35	35	38
10	40	28	34	32	40	41	28	34	35	31	30
11	31	28	27	29	31	29	35	25	30	27	27
12	28	33	26	22	28	24	25	22	19	25	24
P. G.		4	5	6	2	1	1				1
Total	547	552	528	572	584	561	528	534	547	557	551

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Class of 1946

PROCESSIONAL: POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE ..... *Elgar*

INVOCATION ..... Rev. Charles C. Wilson

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM ..... *Francis Scott Key*
J. Stafford Smith

ADDRESS OF WELCOME
Ira Stoughton, Class President

STARDUST ..... *Arranged, Fred Waring*
Chorus
Solo — Marjorie McArthur, '49

RUSTLES OF SPRING ..... *Sinding*
Elizabeth Culliney, '47

DRINK TO ME ONLY WITH THINE EYES ..... *English*

THE SANDMAN ..... *Brahms-Taylor*
Chorus
Solo — John Salvador

ESSAY—"PEACE IN TOMORROW'S WORLD"
Jeannette James

SUMMER TIME ..... *Gershwin*

COME TO THE FAIR ..... *Martin*
Mary Lou Dobbs

DANCE A CACHUCKA FROM "THE GONDOLIERS" ..... *Sullivan*
Chorus

AWARDS

ADDRESS: ..... Mr. James W. Doyle

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS
Mr. John Emery, Chairman of School Committee

AMERICA

RECESSIONAL: ATHALIA ..... *Mendelssohn*

ACCOMPANISTS
Elizabeth Culliney, '47
Mary Desmond, '48
Mrs. John M. Dobbs

Graduating Class, 1946

John Stevens Bates
Benjamin Francis Curley, Jr.
Mary Louise Dobbs
Mary Marjorie Figueiredo
Rosalie Therese FitzPatrick
Winthrop Leeds Graham, Jr.
John Arthur Green
Earle W. Higgins, Jr.
Florence Jeannette James
Theresa Evelyn LeClair
Margaret Mary McNamara
Mary Theresa Mitchell
Bradford Leslie Mulhern
Elizabeth Ann Mulvey
John Peter Patrolia
Henry Gordon Purslow
John Woolard Salvador
Joseph Louis Salvador
Pauline Ethel Salvador
Mary Rose Signorelli
Roger Peter Stoddard
Ira Benjamin Pratt Stoughton, Jr.
Frederick Lawrence Sullivan
Priscilla Christine Wood
William Benton Sanders

As of the Class of 1944
Everett Wilbur Wheelwright, Jr.

As of the Class of 1945
Manual Enos Salvador

HONORS

Valedictorian: ..... Mary Louise Dobbs
Salutatorian: ..... John Woolard Salvador

Entering Class, 1946

Elizabeth Butman
Gerard Conte
Joseph Esposito, Jr.
Kathleen FitzPatrick
Carol Gonsalves
Mary Ann Gray
William Hallowell
Ann E. Henry
Jean W. Higgins
Lester Hiltz
Gloria Howe
Virginia E. Jason
Donald Kennedy
Jo Anne Kloppenburg
Janice Kristiansen
Hadley LeClair
Charles Lehr
Marjorie Litchfield
Francisco Logrotteria
Barbara Mapes
Lillian Meehan
Barbara Merritt
Jacqueline Monk
Gladys Neagle
Ruth S. Pape
Joanne M. Petersen
Joyce C. Petersen
Doris Purslow
Barron Salvador
Frank Salvador
John W. Shyne, Jr.
Anne Signorelli
Elizabeth Stover
John Sweeney
Richard L. Teel
Robert W. Teel
Charles B. Wood
George Kotler

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